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COMMENT OF THE DAY

The Conundrum

House of Commons leader (Mr Gaitskell) the Labour Parliamentary Party has at the same time lost one of its oldest and most efficient office bearers (Mr Morrison). Which means that in solving satisfactorily the problem of replacing Mr Attice, the Party has inherited the headache of finding a suitable deputy

leader. generally expected. appearance of Mr Morrison United Nations. at the foot of the poll was, on the face of things. tion may well be that a number of Morrison's potential supporters turned from him in order to make certain there should be no second ballot - a ballot which could easily have meant the deputy leader popular wishes.

knew their candidate could ; Assembly." not win, and that their only chance of preventing Gnitskell from obtaining the leadership was for their preferential votes to Britain S be cast for Morrison in a second ballot. In circumventing such a develop-ment, several Socialist ironically helped Bevan to a clear second place in the poll!

MR Morrison's disappearance from the front Opposition benches in the House of Commons is something of a tragedy for) the Socialists, His voice in nuthority, Indeed it may well Houses of Parliament. be that Mr Morrison will! decide to withdraw from the in the form of a Tudor Rose, political scene in view of his! eclipse on Wednesday

is, who will succeed to the Crown Colony office of deputy leader? Mr The presentation was made in entitled to the position. Chief Minister Yet nothing could be more; Mr Lennox-Boyd said that lamb and from a Party | pore peoples. point of view, it would be a disastrous experiment.

Because Mr Gaitskell was that no Bevanites will succeed to the deputy leadership. Which considercandidacy.

is fully conscious of the new desire within Party for younger men to mentary fortunes of the Mail Special. Socialists. It is this which may deprive Mr Griffiths of the office.

A fascinating possibility is Dr Edith Summerskill, She is able, moderate in policy tion to such a position in troops.

Minister of Britain! After Mr Griffiths and Dr United Press. Summerskill, there appears to remain only Mr Harold Wilson as a suitable candidate for office. Yet he is, at least in the eyes of the trade unionists, tainted; he is an ex-Bevanite. Mr known as the "terror of the the Crown have been long day with army units in Pamproven, but his alliance onnge Province. with Bevan lost him good- Commander Sendi was killand the handicap may be was given an on-the-spot too much for him now 100 motion for killing the

BACK TO THE VETO

Russia Kills US Resolution On Japan

TIME THIRD DAYS

New York, Dec. 15. For the third time in three days the While the election of Mr. Soviet Union today vetoed in the Security Galtskell as Party chief was Control of the Security the Council a proposal to admit Japan to the

At the same time the Security Council rejected a shock. Yet the explana- a Soviet counter-bid which would have recommended the admission of both Outer Mongolia and Japan at next year's regular session of the General Assembly. The vote on that was only one in favour - the Soviet Union - with the remaining 10 members of the Council abstaining.

Mr Arkady Sobolev, the Soviet delegate, declared winning at the expense of that his negative vote "should not be viewed and cannot be viewed as a vote against the admission of The followers of Mr Bevan Japan at the 11th regular session of the General

, be added

approved.

tion was lost.

consider

unoroughly,

Bil could agree,

Yesterday the Soviet Union

USSR also used

admission of Japan along with

in the original 18 package deal.

The vote on the United States

resolution was 10 in favour and

BRITISH PROPOSAL

this

LEGALITY DOUBT

But when doubts were raised

concueronal on a future date

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Sir Pierson said

to the Soviet

vetoed the proposal that Japan

Singapore

London, Dec. 15. Britain today presented Singapore with a piece of debate cannot hope to carry stone from the fabric of the the same weight and Victoria Tower of the The stone, elaborately carved

te over 100 years old and couchs pearly one cwt. It will be incorporated in the Legisla-The intriguing conundrum tive Assembly building of the

Bevan, having polled nearly Black Rods Garden," at the half as many votes as Mr foot of the Victoria Tower, by Gaitskell for the top job, Mr Alan Lennox-Boyd to Mr might feel that he is morally David Marshall. Singapore's

incongruous; it would be a of the stone was a political symbol of the very close and affectionclassic example of the ate understanding existing lion lying down with the between the British and Singa-

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mr Marshall expressed his appreciation of "this gesture of mainly by MPs represent- | was made at a time when ing the trade unions, it Singapore was seeking a new can be confidently forecast relationship with the United its lith regular session." that they will make quite Kingdom comparable with those democratic traditions which the stone symbolises.

"This stone from the fabric of the mother of Parliaments, ably narrows the field for which has known 900 years of by Sir Leslie Munro of New freedom. We hope that it will Zoaland and others about last us as long a period of free- legality of making admission the selection rested on dom and democracy. We hope length and value of service that it will symbolise the new to the Party, Mr James relationship, brotherhood and Henry Cabot Lodge, accepted Griffiths, former Colonial co-operation in democracy for the suggestion of the President Secretary, would have the which we are striving today to vote on his proposal in parte Mr and which we hope will be a Griffiths is already 65 and reality tomorrow," Mr Marshall declared.

The stone was salvaged from the damage inflicted on the old House of Commons building by be given the chance of Nazi German alreraft during keuter. resuscitating the parlia- the last world war.—Chiha

Violence In Algeria

Algiers, Dec. 15. Algerian terrorists have killed and possesses a strong 12 persons in the past 24 hours, personality. She measures the authorities announced today, up successfully on all but lost 28 dead and 53 prisoncounts, save that her eleva- ers in clashes with French

the Labour Party hierarchy | Governor - General Jacques would create what is prob- Soustelle broke off his elecably an unthinkable possi- toral campaign in Lyons, Eastern bility—a woman as Prime France, and returned here by plane carly today to cope with the fresh outburst of violence .--

Huk Chief Killed

Mimile. Doc. 16. A notorious Huk commander Wilson's talenta as a po- central plains" in Lazon was litician and a minister of killed in an encounter yester-

will of the rank and file Battalion combat team who the Christmes China Mail. leader Tranco Prese

TRIUMPH: MAJOR DEMANDS. MET

London, Dec. 15. Colonial Secretary Alan Lennox-Boyd has accepted the major self-government demands of Singapore Chief Minister David Marshall, informed sources said

Marshall and Lennox-Boyd taunched the final round of their negotiations today, The talks wind up tomor-

"Today's talks with Lennox-Boud were very happy and promising for the future," Marshall himself said.

"It was a very good omen," the Chief Minister said after a 214 hour session with Mr Lennox-Boyd. Informed sources further. They said the agenda for the negotiations Privileges had already been completely covered and that the Colonial Secretary accepted Marshall's programme.

The Singapore leader said a joint communique will be issued tomorrow after the negotiations end,-United Press.

NEHRU CREDITED WITH BRINGING ABOUT RUSSIAN VOLTE FACE

New York, Dec. 15.

which the Council eventually Minister, personally ordered the withdrawal of down Soviet vetoes against 12 non-Communist states veto on Tuesday to block the which applied for United Nations membership, after intervention by Mr Jawaharlal Nehru, the all other non-Communist states Indian Prime Minister, usually reliable sources said at United Nations headquarters today.

only the Soviet Union against. But because of the Soviet Union's veto power the resoluchief representative in the United | their duty if they did not say Nations, cabled Mr Nehru at that we are appreciative of the the weekend telling of his fear responses that they (the Soviet that the proposed 18-nation Union) made to our approaches package deal would founder to them in the last few days," immediately the Council had through the Chinese Nationalist he declared. voted. Sir Pierson Dixon of threat to veto Outer Mongolia.

Britain proposed a respitation When word of the breakdown that "The Security Council takes was received in New Delhi note that Japan is fully qualified after Tuesday's for membership in the United Council meeting, Mr Nehru was Nations and expresses the hope said to have conferred urgently that Japan will soon be ad- with Marshal Bulgarda-who mitted to the United Nations." | was then in the Indian capital Sir Pierson suggested that with his associate, Mr Nakita the Council recess for 10 Krushchev, the Soviet Comminutes for the delegates to munist Party Secretary. resolution

APPEAL ACCEPTED

Mr Nehru was said to have he was "deeply distressed" at the result impressed upon of the votes taken and he did Bussinin India's interest in not think that the Council greater Bandung Conterence "should give up at this point," representation in the United He thought the Council should Nations and to have urged try to find a course on which reconsideration of the vetoes.

According to the source, Mar-The United States resolution shal Bulganin accepted Mr had originally been submitted Nehru's appeal and capted a set in this form: "The Security of instructions to Mr Arkady elevated to high office friendship, especially since it Council recommends to the Sobolev, Soviet permanent re-General Assembly that it admit presentative at the United Japan to the United Nations at Nations.

Mr Sobolev asked Sir Leslie Munro, President of the Security Council, for an "urgent" meeting of the Council. When that body met, he withdrew his vetoes against 12 free applicants on the condition that Japan and Outer Mongolia were dropped from consideration at this

the American delegate, Mr the deal, and 16 countries, in- tug took three days to reach cluding four Communist states, her, After being delayed several were cleared for admission. The hours by fog and high seas, the stopping the first vote at the General Assembly elected them crews finally managed to get a words "to the United Nations." inst night in a special session. Sir Pierson Dixon said he Support for the story came was proposing his resolution today in Mr Menon's address because of the doubts expressto the General Assembly, in ed by Sir Leslie Munto about which he welcomed the new the legality of the US draft.

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issue of the China Mail will be published tomorrow.

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gave support to the report

how unpopular their veto of the

free nations, particularly those

of Asia, might be all around the

decision to withdraw their

world and came to a

vetoes.—Reuter.

Halifax, Nova Scotia, Dec. 15. The crippled British freighter Lord Church, with two injured crewmen aboard, bucked high winds and heavy seas at the end or a towline to the salvage tug, Foundation Frances, tonight in the first lap of a 600-mile race to Halifax.

The 6,200-ton freighter, with smushed lifeboats and superstructure, sent out a distress The Council quickly accepted signal on Sunday. The Halifax towline to the ship.

Salvage officials said the tug

and freighter would have to push on against oven worse back to Halifax, than the tug independent of the Sultanate of. encountered on its way out. Muscat. The Sultanate maintain-They estimated the trip would ed that Ghaleb and Oman came take at least four or five days. The tug and the freighter met in the Atlantic some 600 miles southeast of here after a sudden squall blocked arr immediate rendezvous and a guiding search plane had to of the Arab League, Abdel return to ita base. A towline was finally secured shortly be-

for England from Norfolk, struck.—United Press.

Deportation

Manile, Dec. 10. yesterday bogan deportation attack since 1944, proceedings against 11 Ohinese suspected of being Communists same rights of defence arrested recently for subversive cashiers, who are allowed to

The Deportation Board heard said.

HK Firm Denied Export

Washington; Dec. 15. A Hongkong and an Amsterdam business firm, have privileges for allegedly circumventing some US export Foreign Commerce an-

nounced today. Another Amsterdam firm was suspended for one year for a connection with such matters. Named as companies and persons deprived of export privileges were the Cheung Kam Kee Trading Company and its manager, Cheung Yukleung, of Hongkong, and A.M.M. Van De Looveren, N.V. and Marshal Nikolai Bulganin, Soviet Prime its manager, Anthonius M.M.

SUSPENDED

Suspended was Erik Jansen Handelsondernuming and manager T. Boelaarte, Amsterdam, for one year. The official announment said and sensibilities,

in part:

"Bureau of Foreign Commerce These sources said that Mr V | "My government and my charged that during 1951-52, K. Krishna Menou, India's country would be failing in Cheung, Van De Looveren and Jansen effected shipments of pharmaccuticals valued total of \$28,000 from the United of State, declared that Russia States by causing false statements to be made on export licence applications unit ship-High Western sources also the commedities were ultimate consumption in A prominent Western delegate, Netherlands. Upon their arrival who has been at the cource of in Amsterdam and Rotterdam, come largely political and ecoall negotiations on the member- however, the shipments were ship issue, said that he thought diverted to Hongkong.-United at the Near and Middle East and the Russians had come to realise Press.

West European Defences To Be Co-Ordinated Paris, Dec. 15.

The 15-nation Atlantic alliance today approved plans to co-ordinate West European . fighter defences to guard against any surprise attack from

NATO's foreign, defence and finance ministers took the decision at a council meeting after being told that Russia had lately opened a new economic and been denied all US export political phase in the cold war that Soviet armed might is greater than ever before.

Fighter defences in West regulations, the Bureau of Europe will be co-ordinated France and West Germany fol-General Gruenther, NATO Commander, in four zones - non-military fields, while keep-North, covering Norway and ing up their defence guard. Denmark: Central, covering France, West Germany, the Benelux countries and the United Kingdom, and South, covering the whole Mediterrancan area south to the North African coast.

General Gruenther told a press conference after a three- launch an energetic - economic, approve integrated dighter were the best alles of Comforces or a single radar net- munism, he said. ita work under direct SHAPE conof trol because this would at present cut across national lines

A NEW PHASE

At the opening NATO session earlier today, Mr John Foster Dulles, United States Secretary had deliberately launched a new the new rigid Soviet line at and jurged the closest co-operation per's export declarate ... that since the Geneva foreign minis- between NATO and the Bagdad ters' talks had followed a period the of "sweetness and light."

The Soyle! "threat!" had benomic, mainly aimed at present South Asia, Mr Dulles said.

. The foreign ministers of 'Alfred llowed Mr Dulles with calls for Supreme, greater parts by NATO in the The ministers' assessments of Soviet intentions came at a twohour opening session this morn-

In the ministers political debate, Herr Heinrich von Brentano of West Germany urged the NATO community to

FULL OF DANGERS

For France, M. Antoine Pinay said the consequences of recent Soviet moves were full of dangers to the West. He urged NATO member governments to study the need to make the organisation a real community. Turkey's representative, -Mr Nurl Birgi, Secretary-General phase in the cold war. He said of the Turkish Foreign Ministry,

> Pact, which links his country. Iraq, Britain, Persia, and Pakistan in the 'northern tier' of Middle East defence. The "Big Three" foreign

ministers-Mr Dulles, Mr Macmilian and M. Pinay-were conferring later tonight, during which the Middle East will also probably be discussed.—Router.

Prince Aly Khan Has Operation

Paris, Dec. 15. Alv Khan was on today at the American hospital in suburban Neully, informed cources said. Hospital officials confirmed he was there and said he was "doing well." But they refused

sorry, but we cannot give any United Press.

Muscat Forces Invade Principality Of Oman

Cairo, Dec. 15. Reports from the Principality of Muscat on the Eastern seaboard of the Arabian geninsula said tonight that Muscat armed forces invaded, the neighbouring principality of Oman and occupied its capital, Nazwa. The ruler of Oman, the Emir Ghaleb, was reported to have fled the capital.

The reports said the Muscat | Rahman Azzam, charged here forces entered Nazwa today tonight that the policies of to describe the repr ed operawithout meeting any resistance. Muscat were inspired by the tion. The Museat flag was hoisted on British, who were seeking to top of the Nazwa capital and extend their influence in an the population's attitude was area which is believed to be information to the press."rich in oil .-- United Press. one of friendly greetings.

The reports added that Ghaleb fled the capital the night before after having disowned his own professions of independence from Muscat. Last week Ghaleb informed the Arab League here that

Muscat forces were preparing to

invade his territory. He then added that he was prepared to defend his land at any cost. THE DISPUTE .The dispute between the two principalities originated from winds and heavier seas to get Ghaleb's claims that Oman was

> under its sovereignty. The Sultan of Muscat has been friendly, with the British while Ghaleb was reported to have opposed them.

The former Secretary-General

The Lord Church was bound Firearms Demand Virginia, when the storm By Taxi Drivers

Paris, Dec. 15. Paris taxi drivers today demanded who right to carry weapons in their cabs after another taxi driver was murdered, the tenth since 1044. Officials of the cab-drivers

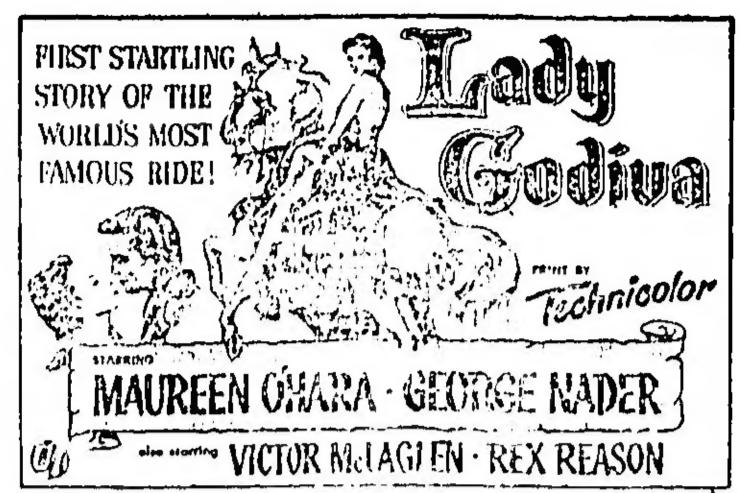
union sald the recent murder of taxi driver Gregoire Agianz, an The Philippine Government Armenian was the 280th such Cabbles should be given the

carry erms at work, the officials the government projection de- Dieantime, officials said all mand their immediate deports | Paris cabbles will stop work for tion for violation of Philippins a 24-hour period on Baturday, and policies -- Trange- the day of Lagant's Junetal-

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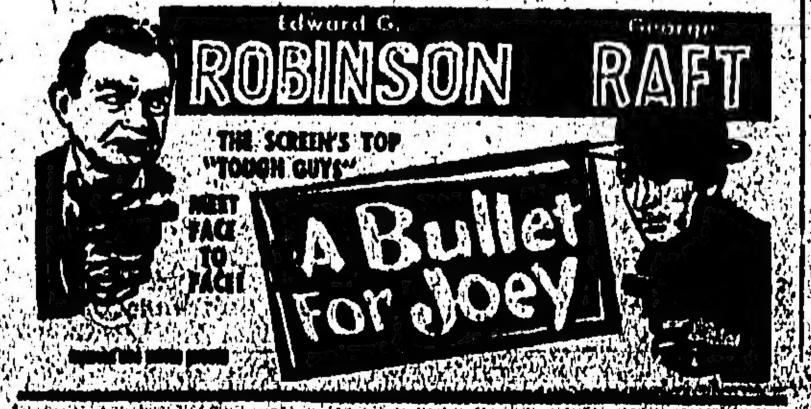
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US Accused Of Violating

Repatriation Agreement

Geneva, Dec. 15.

Chinese Premier and Foreign Minister, Mr Chou En-lai, accused the United States today of violating the Geneva repatriation agreements between the two countries.

The accusation Chinese statement Communist Consulate-General in Geneva, site of the Sino-American ambassadorial talks.

published simultane- thorities' help,

other American spokesmen. The Americans, said statement, had accused Poking of failing to carry out fully the agreement on the repatriation of civilians reached during the Geneva talks between the am-

Carried Out

The Chinese authorities had fully carried out the agreement the statement went on, while it was the United States which had violated it.

The Chinese statement said the "repeated" American charges were "without any foundation" while "it is procisely the American side which has not fully complied with the agreement and has acted in violation of it." The statement, issued in the name of the Chinese Foreign Ministry, said: "The American

side has failed up to now furnish our side with a name-list and information concerning all the Chinese in the United The Chinese supplied a name-

list and information on Americans in China at the very start talks, it added.

The Chinese statement said the United States Government "indicated that it could not give the Indian Embassy in the United States any assistance" in the task of "finding out the conditions of the Chinese in the United States, to investigate the facts of their encountering obstruction in departure and to in their return." The Indian Embassy was entrusted with this task at the request of poration buildings.

Do Not Agree

The Chinere statement conlinued: "The American side sta ed that the Indian Embassy in the United States could conact the Chinese residents only the latter themselves had asked for it. Our side does not ngree with this interpre-ation of the agreement made by the American side, yet since the American side persists in such an attitude, our side naturally cannot give the office of the British Charge d'Affaires in China, entrusted by the United more than reciprocal

The statement said the Americans had "no right to complain North and away from the Philipin this connection against the Chinese side as the situation is casting centre here said today. of their own making."

It suggested that if the American wished to change this unfortunate situation they should City in South Luzon, generating "not only Enypt, but other Arab name-list and information concerning all Chinese in the United pines, weathermen said,-United States and agree to assist the Press. Indian Embassy in taking the initiative to contact them".

The statement, replying to further US accusations, said that Americans imprisoned in China were "Americans who have committed offences against the Chinese law" and that 28 Point Cook Station, out of 40 of them had been released during, the past four ed in the special physiological,

The Chinese Government was continuing to "examine the cases individually" of the remaining 14 Americans prison.

Tidying Up

Chinese side at the Geneva of Japanere residents in the A deal is a deal, however, and ambassadors' talks had clearly United stated their intended procedure China I on this question, "On the other hand, the American side has never informed us from many Chinese are, being imprisoned in the United States, nor has it provided us with a list of their

American orlicions on the time taken by the Chinese to release "American criminals" was unjustified, since this was a case of "Chinese sovereignty" re-

cognized by the American side at the talks.
The statement said that since August 1, out of 55 "ordinary

Mr Chou's statement which instairs in China", with the au-

ously in Peking, was a reply to The statement said that "on accusations made against the the other hand" 38 out of the Chinese authorities by the 103 Chinese whom the Ameri-American Secretary of State, cans admitted had "long ago John Poster Dulles, and applied for permission to depart" from the United States,

the "have not yet returned to China." The statement continued: "The American side declared that their departure had been approved but It has never accounted for their addresses nor the reason why they have not returned. What is more, the American side has refused to arsist the Indian Embassy in learning about their conditions."

The statement said a recent American regulation that the Chinese students continuing to reside in the United States, must obtain entranco permits for Taiwan "was an obvious threat directed against those Chinese students who were for the time being unable to return to

Outright Violation

This, the statement suid, was an "outright violation of the letter and the spirit of the agreement on the return of civilians reached between the two sides.

The statement concluded: The Chinese Government firmly asks that the American side of the Geneva ambassadors put a stop to all its acts in violation of the agreement and hilly comply with the agreement reached between both sides."-France-Presse.

BOMBAY RIOTS

Bombry, Dec. 15. The Bombay police today arrested 89 people, including two women, after riots outside Bombay Municipal Cor-

The rioters, who were demanding that Bombay City be included in an Moharashtra amongst 400 volunteers who staged a demonstration in front of the Corporation buildings, where the report of the State's reorganisation Commission was being discussed.

The police threw a cordon round the building, and the demonstrators left quietly after the Corporation had adjourned. -France-Presse.

Typhoon Changes Course

Manila, Dec. 16. piner, the Weather Bureau fore-

At 2 a.m. today the powerful lyphoon was platted about 530 Salisbury, to supply more arms northeast away from the Philip- not.

IET DOCTORS

The Royal Australian Air Force has set up a jet-age tchool of aviation medicine at Medical officers will be treinproblems of high altitude jet

flying....China Mail Special.

POP

Tolovo, Dec. 15. The Japanese Government Tokichi decorated Matsucka, President of the Jopanese Residents Association in New York, with a fifth class Order of Sacred Tressures for Dalsy was back mooing restatement . said the ine contribution to the welfare proachfully through the window. States since China Mail Special.



Flowers and fruit make exotic headdresses for two fouryear-olds as they do a Latin-American dance at the Royal Albert Hall, London. They were among 1,000 performers

from the principal stage dancing schools in the Common-

wealth taking part in the National Display of Dancing. -

Solution Israel-Arab Be

London, Dec. 15. Lord Reading, Minister of State at the British Foreign Office, said tonight in the House of Lords that it was essential to eradicate the hitherto insoluble problem of Arab-Israel relations.

Lord Reading, who was speaking for the British Government in a debate on the Middle East, said that Russian manoeuvres in the Middle East had stressed the dominant need for a vigorous and sustained effort towards a generally acceptable settlement.

"Perpetuation of the present conditions can only mean that tempors will become increasingly trayed, and incidents correspondingly frequent", he said.

Reuterphoto.

"There is always the risk that one day an incident may be staged on one side or the other, upon a scale which approximates so closely to an invasion that the consequences of what was designed merely as an isolated operation may be the ou.brenk, of general

Not Wise Policy

In the opinion of Lord Salisbury, Lord President of the Council, the denial of arms to Egypt was "not a wise policy" If the West wished to win Egypt from the Russians. "The only Typhoon Ruth gained hur- result is likely to be to force ricane strength as she moved up them to lean more and more on the Communist bloc for any arms they want," Salisbury

On the other hand, said Lord miles east-north-east of Legaspi to Israel would probably push first "furnish our side with a 100-mph winds. It was moving countries" into the Communist believe the wise ecurse is

breadly that recommended by Premier Sir Anthony Eden to continue to supply the arms on a 'very limited scale as before to both sides, and maintain so possible the former balence, reserving the right to modify that policy in the light of the situation as it develops," Lord Sallsbury concluded.

HOMESICK COW

Capetown, Dec. 15. Mr C. C. P. Bergh of Rothdero. Transvaal, sold his cow Daisy to a farmer ten miles nway on Friday. On Sunday 1917- the cow was sent back to her now owner,-China Mail Special.

'SMASH ANY BERLIN **BLOCKADE**'

Washington, Dec. 15. GERMAN Deputy, Prince Hubertus zu Loewenstein, today called on the Western powers to smash through: blockade thrown around Berlin by the East German Communist puppet regime.

rince Leewenstein, a member

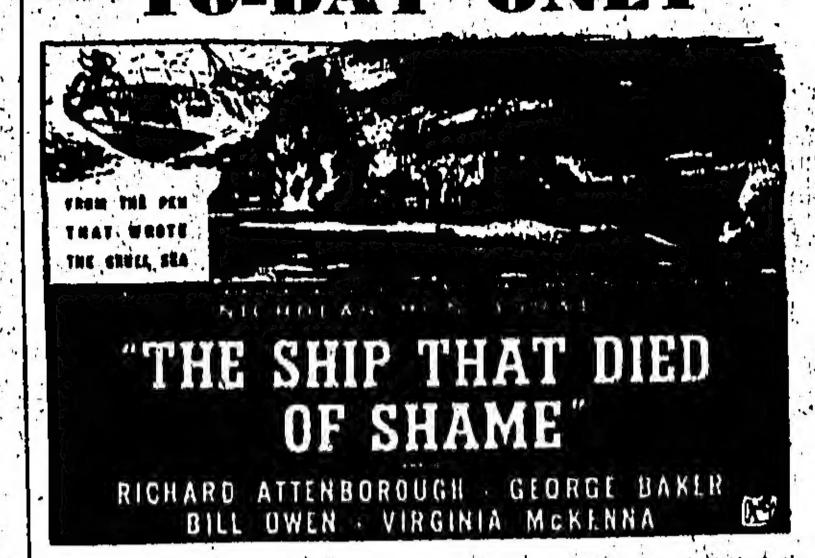
of the Free Democratic Party. made his remarks at a press conference here. The Printe is a scion of one of Bavaria's oldest families. He lived here as a Carregie professor Of history during World War II. He told reporters judicious use of Western power would prevent the newly "soverelan" East German state from throwing a record blockade around the divided city similar to the one in 1948-40 that brought the giant Allicd nirlift into play.

Eventual Expulsion

Prince Locwenstein contended

that any weakness on the part of the Western powers in dealing with the German Democratic Republic wou a result in the eventual expulsion of the West from Berlin. The problem of East German interference with free secress to Berlin has come into prominence recently through Soviet contentions that East Berlin is the capital of a sovereign State and the fourpower agreement governing the city is no longer in force, -United Press.

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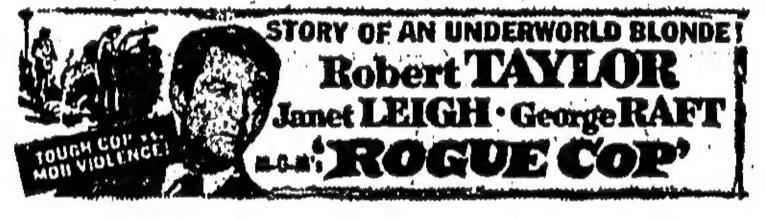


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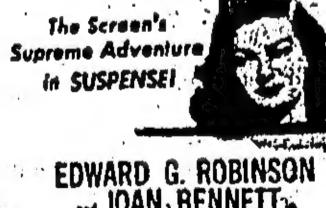


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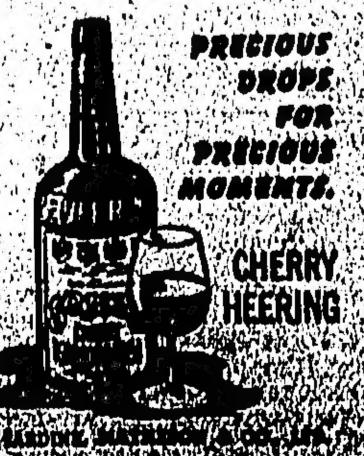
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US May Restrict

Movement

Of Satellites

Washington, Dec. 15.

said tonight that it was

considering whether to

clamp travel restrictions

on the new Bulgarian and

Albanian representatives

The United States does not

have diplomatic relations with

either of the two Communist-

controlled countries, which were

admitted to the UN under the

the case of Albania and Bul-

garia was somewhat different

from that of most other Russian

satellites. The United States

has alamped travel restrictions

on the representatives of some

of the satellite nations, but only

after those countries restricted

the movement of American

Since the United States has no diplomatic relations with Albania and Bulgaria there are no US officials in those countries

Restrictions affecting the

other satellites vary from coun-

try to country on a "reciprocity"

basis. The Department spokes-

man emphasised that admission

x Albania and Bulgaria would

have no effect on US refusal to

recognise the Moscow-dominated

Balkan countries.—United Press.

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officials within their borders.

and hence no restrictions.

A Department spokesman said

in the United Nations,

16-nation package deal.

The State Department

UN Membership Debate.

First Japanese Warship

Tokyo, Drc. 15. The first Japanese-made warship since the end of the war was today handed over to the Maritimo Self-Defence Forces (Navy) at Yokohama dockyard of the Misubishi Nippon Heavy Industries Company near Tokyo.

Maritime Self-Defence Forces said the mine layer Tsugaru, 950 under construction December 1954. be on duty in northern coastal waters .-China Mail Special.

Efforts

Washington, Dec. 15. DM. Arleigh A. Burke. L Chief of US Naval Operations, warned today that there is "nothing to indicate the Soviet Union is slowing down in her armament efforts."

Russia, Adm. Burke. on al- United Nations next year, ready has become the seconds ranking seapower in the world and is "still growingand growing fast."

Since the end of World War II. he said, Russia has built more cruisers and destroyers and submorn is "than all the rest of the world combined; addition, he said. Russia "is still building aircraft at very rapid rate?

Appreciation

In a specific before the National Press Club, Adm. Burke said the rising Russian naval | been overlooked. In was,"

He noted that the free world is: federation' and warned that if the United States should lose control of the sens, "our oversens investment utilised by the enemy as he Chited Press

ACROSS

10 Disturber of the peace (6).

Musical work (5).

13 High naval rank (7).

15 Kill (4). 17 Containers for soup (7).

3 Atom (8).

8 Omens (8).

18 Bullfighter (7).

20 Impotuosity (4). 21 Meat ball (7).

26 Required (6).

27 Allenate (8).

28 Extinguish (6).

29 Godliness (8).

RUSSIAN PROPOSAL TO LINK JAPAN & OUTER MONGOLIA

New York, Dec. 15.

The Soviet Union today proposed that Outer Mongolia be linked with Japan in a bid for me mbership in the United Nations next year.

The proposal was made by Mr Arkady Sobolev, the Soviet delegate, immediately the Security Council met today to consider a United States proposal, which came in the wake of yesterday's recommendation to admit 16 new members, that Japan should be recommended for United Nations membership at the next session of the General Assembly in 1956.

approval the 16 nations were withdrawn its negative vote on at once. admitted to the United Nationa Arms in a dramatic right ression and come of them today east their first votes in the world organi-

Taken Up

In omitting Outer Mongolla and Japan Mr Sobolev said yesterday that he hoped both would become members next year,

Taking him up on this, Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge, the United S are: delegate, immediately subnatted a resolution vesterday hoking the Council to recommend now that the General Assembly admit Japan to the

The Soviet representative said that We Soviet delegation wished to admit Outer Mongolia. The Soviet Union on Wednes-

they proposed that 16 states be admitted omitting Japan and

intsoon of 18 states, including impressive." Outer Mongolla and Japan, was 'n result of yesterday's action, the added only two states had

None could shun the fact preciation of seapowers full that only the veto of Nationpotential" The Soviet Union, alist China against Outer Monhe said, has studied the lessons golin on Tuesday had prevent- Japan of World War II and "realises ed the solution of the problem that control of the sens is of Outer Mongolia and Japan absolutely essential to success being included in the list of 18, sat Mr Sobolev.

Therefore, in view of the l Adm. Burke said the Russian opinion of the majority of the chill's statement condemning Navy, with its emphasis on Ascembly and the Security those who looked to the past submatines and Council in favour of the ad- instead of to the future, destrovers, is designed to initisions of both states, "what | Mr Lodge then went on to prevent the thuted States report is there to have at this quote from the verbatim record and the free world from juncture only to consider the of Tuesday's Council meeting in European and Asian main-libe same unit, considering the admission of Outer Mongolia?"

Desire For Solution

We are no justification all," added Mr Sobolev. The Soviet delegate said that Mr Lodge had referred to his statement of the day before

A British Crossword Puzzle

1 Snake (5).

2 Broom (5).

3 Journal (5).

5. Wax light (6).

4 Infants (4).

6 Attempts (6).

· 9 Speaker (6).

11 Perfect (5).

12 Giant (6).

10 Fish (5).

19 Plaid (6).-

23 Smell (5).

14 Enticing (6).

15 Feel (5).

22 Unwell (5),

24 Borders (5):

25 Agreement (4).

18 Confused fights (6).

a number of states and would "I repeat that I regret that vote in favour of them with the this was not done yesterday," exception of Japan and Outer Sir Leelie said. Mongolia, bearing in mind that

at the next Assembly session. understand Mr Sobolev's argument that the United States resolution was not aimed at solving the membership prob-

said, that what the United States was doing was aimed exactly at solving the problem. He recalled that the United States had made it clear in the General Assembly's special polltical committee on November 18 that she favoured the admission of 17 countries, excluding Outer Mongolia but including Japan.

The Soviet Union put Japan

and Outer Mongolia in the same bracket, Mr Lodge said. of the United States just cannot admit that," he declared. Mr Sobolev said today that do not have in mind so much community." the General Assembly in a re- the fact of Japan's population sometion it had sent to the and importance and size and Security Council on December 8, contribution to the economic life had spoken but in "a concrete of the world, although these fashion" in tayour of the ad-, things in themselves are very

Churchill Quoted

He referred to Japan's contributions to art and culture and periods in our history with Kores."

"But we are here looking forward, not back. We are looking to the peace of the world, Mr Lodge said.

He quoted Sla Winston Chur-

which Mr Sobolev stated Japan's admission should postponed to the next session of the General Assembly in 1956, "for reasons which are clear to everyone,"

But, Mr Lodge added, these reasons were not clear to him Mr Sobolev had referred only to Japan. There was no mention at all of Outer Mongolia, Mr Lodge added.

He also quoted another statement from Mr Sobolev in the verbatim record to the effect that the Soviet Union had not changed its attitude to the admission of Japan.

"Not a word here about Outer Mongolia," Mr Lodge said. He said that in introducing its resolution today, the United States hoped it would be necepted at once by the Soviet mean a demonstration of interharmony and good feeling which would be an example to the world." of what he said . . .

Earnest Appeal

"I said yesterday," Mr Sobolev General Assembly to ensure the was then confronted. admission of both countries to the United Nations at the next quite different today,"

made an "earnest appeal" to the has never been very great." Soviet Union not to press to a Britain, he said, had never

"In fact, it might change it dressed as soon as possible. into a very strange package Router. deal and indeed one of the most curious package deals ever propoced," Mr Sarper said. He added that the United Na-

tions could not afford to lose sight of the role Japan played in international relations, nor could it impore the "valuable contribution" Japan would' bring to the United Nations.

"I hope sincerely we will be tion without making the situanecessary," Mr. Barper con-

"Well, let's see what I said," both the resolution. He said he wished to make it close that He said that he had com- his abstention did not affect list of 10 which they un- mented on the Soviet Union's New Zealand's "very strong expe tedly submitted to the "desire to see a solution" of the Security Council.

Following the Council's The Soviet delegation had candidate, should be admitted

Sir Lealie said his abstention they would both be considered on the resolution of the United States—"the excellent intent Mr Lodge said it was hard to of which he fully appreciated" --was based entirely on con-"Il utional grounde.

Dr T. F. Tsiang of Nationalist China said that the proposition linking Japan with Outer Mon-It seemed to him, Mr Lodge golia was certainly not accept-

> "That Japan is qualified for membership in the United Nations is universally admitted,' he said, adding that not even the Soviet Union had for one moment objected to the qualifications of Japan.

"As for my delegation, I have never had a single second of doubt that Japan is fully qualifled for membership in the United Nations," Dr Tsiang said, "Japan remains an honoured nation among the international

An Insult

"But as for the qualification of Outer Mongolia, I shall only say that Outer Mongolia is not an independent sovereign nation. It is a Soviet colony and has been used by the Soviet Union for aggression against my country in 1947 and against the then said there had been "tragic United Nations in the war in

> Now, he continued, the Soviet Union was linking the two applicants together.

> "To condition the admission of Japan on the admission of any other country is a violation of the Charter," the Chinese delegate said. "That's a serious act, I think the Security Council should make a serious attempt to prevent such a flagrant violation of the Charter.

"To bracket Japan with Outer Mongolia is an insult to Japan and an insult to the intelligence of the world. "Such a proposition is certain-

ly not acceptable." Mr Cyro de Freitas Valle of

Brazil said that, cager as his country was to see Japan's admission, it did not seem in order to approve this today. Sir Pierson Dixon of Britain

said he would vote in favour the United States resolution and abstain on the Soviet resolution—at least that part of the resolution which recommended the admittance of Outer Mongolia at the eleventh session.

States resolution," he said, "li an expression of our keen desire to see Japan admitted to United representative "which would Nations as soon as possible," he

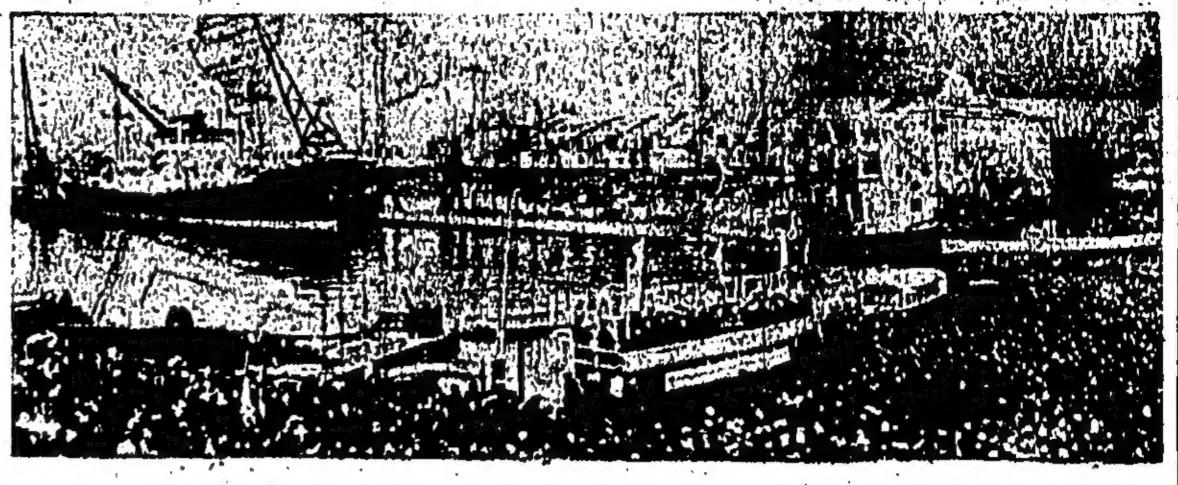
Quite Different

As regards his abstention on Mr Sobolev replied that Mr Outer Mongolia, Sir Pierson Lodge had quoted only a part said, he had voted in favour of Outer Mongolia -two days ago, but had explained then that Britain had "serious doubis" about its qualifications. He said he had been prepared to judge went on, "that I hoped there the matter with the "utmost would be concerted efforts be- benevolence" owing to the cirthe sessions of the cumstances which the Council

"However the situation What can be more Pierson said. "And equally, need not disguise that our Mr Salim Sarper of Turkey enthusiasm for Outer Mongolia

vote its resolution on Outer agreed that the admission of Mongolia. He said that the both these countries should be Soviet resolution on Outer linked together and it was his Mongolia "would entirely change government's view that the the meaning and scope" of the misfortune that had befallen United States resolution on Japan by not being admitted at this session should be re-

Tokyo, Dec. 18. Japan today presented a set of platform for the elections ineach of the 10 leading Japanese universities.



RUSSIAN ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION

A big sendeff at Kaliningrad for the diesel-powered Ob, a ship earrying the first Soviet comprehensive research Antarctic expedition of the USSR Academy of Sciences, According to the expedition's chief, Mr M. M, Somov: "We are salling half-way round the world for peaceful purposes—to carry forward the noble undertaking of the glorious Russian sea-farers who, 135 years ago in the saliboats Mirny and Vostok, discovered for manking the far-off and mysterious Antarctio." The ship has taken on enough fuel for sailing 80,000 kilometres without port calls - Express Photo.

F.O.Spokesman Was Right Says Killearn

London, Dec. 15.

Khrushchev were "indulging in

they should say what they joily

well like because it won't do us

The Minister: "That is your

view."--China Mail Special.

eny harm."

Killearn, formerly British special Commissioner for Southeast Asia, said today the adjective "hypocritical" applied by a British foreign official to speeches of Soviet leaders in India was "neither misplaced nor inaccurate."

He had asked the Government in the House of Lords to make available a reliable translation of the utterances about Britain by Marshal Nikolai Bulganin and Mr Nikita Khrushchev during their visit to India.

Lord Reading, Minister State for Foreign Affairs, said no official transcript existed. a bit of co-existence."

"We have to rely on press reports," he said.

Lord Killearn then asked: "Would you agree that in light of the reports of these utterances as they appeared in the press here, the adjective 'hypocritical' is neither misplaced nor inaccurate."

Lora Reading replied: "Whatever one's view may be, that does not arise out of the question on the (agenda) paper."

(The comment 'hypocritical' was made by a Foreign Office spokesman, Mr Peter Mathews, on Marshal Bulganin's speech in the Indian Parliament in which he said Russia did not interfere in the internal affairs of other countries.)

Commons Question

In the House of Commons today, Mr Philips Price, Labour, asked what instructions had been given to the British High Commissioner in India to make known British aims and policy on foreign affairs, disarmament and relations with Asiatic coum-

Mr Douglas Dodds-Parker, Under-Secretary for Commonwealth Relations, replied: "The normal methods of exchanges he said. of views and information, which is a marked feature of Commonwealth relations, already ensures that the Government and customer, being one of the three people of India are well acquainted with the aims and policies of the British Govern-

Mr Price: "Have you any information - about the Indian public's reaction to Mr Khrushchev's speeches?"

Mr Dodds-Parker: "No. I think you should look at the newspapers for reports."

THOREZ ATTACKS MR FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 15. General of the French Communist Party lashed out at for- effort to help by buying from mer Premier Plerre Mendes- me a volume of goods which France, at an electoral meeting more closely approximates the in the east end of Paris tonight. | value of what we buy from Thorez accused Mendes-France

of being partly responsible for the deterioration of the situation was watching Japanese, efforts in Algeria and of opposing to overcome external trade deworkers wage claims.

1985 revised edition of the cluded reduction of military able to reach a reasonable solu- Encyclopaedia of Britannics to service from 18 months to a half pride and half anxiety, year and lowering the voting pride arising from the legitimate age from 21 to 18

Relations

Madrid, Doc. 15.

Will show a "considerable improvement", sources said today. French Resident-General

EARTH TREMOR

Tokyo, Dec. 16. The Central Meteorological

The Observatory said the He said it was "a good thing epicentre was near Mt Tsukuba, Ibaraki Prefecture, northeast of

or damage.—China Mail Special.

US Should Buy More Japanese Goods

Mr Sadab Iguchi, Japan's Ambassador to the United States, today called upon Americans to help Japan on the road to economic stability by in-

Boston, Mr Iguchi noted that Japan was importing three times as much from the United States as it expected.

(economic) pendence on the United States well to keep a few basic aspects is not due merely to the politi- of our trade picture in mind," cal condition on limiting trade Mr Iguchi said.—Reuter. with China or the naturally low volume of business available at this early stage of economic development in Southeast Asia,

"On the contrary, we are a principal US customers abroad.

Every Effort

"It is for this reason partly that the United States appreclates our trading problems and so helpfully supported our re-admission to the world trading community by membership in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, or GATT at it is popularly known.

"At the same time, it should be appreciated that Japan is buying about three times more from the United States than the United States buys from Japan and that this overwhelming imbalance in favour of the United States furnishes. all the Maurice. Thorez, Secretary- more reason why the American people should make every Your country."

Mr Iguchi said United States ficity and to attain a viable economy thereby to establish Japan as a factor for stability in Asia and the Far East With feeling of the American people 8 Igloo, 9 Solemn, 10 Astir, 11 Boost, 12 Mend, 13 Tests, 16 Desert, 18 Soused, 20 Ensure, 22 Caim, 25 Snatch, 25 Snatch, 25 Care, 26 Linger, 27 Lagor, 28 Chess, 20 Sevene, Down 1, Cashmere, 2 Idanes, 3 Limb, 4 Ignores, 5 Boasted, 6 Roster, 7 Waist, 14 Sir Levie hours, speaking body, attacked the Universities body, a that they had helped Japan to

The High Commissioner

Spanish Morocco, General Garcia Valino. told Spanish powemen in Baragossa (northeast Spain) that relations betwoen France and Spain

General Valino confirmed that he is soon to meet the in Morocco, M. Andre Dubols, Morocco.

The General said he expected France and Spain soon to adopt a "parallel policy" in both the French and Spanish source of Morocco. — France-Presse

Observatory announced a slight Mr Richard Stokes, Labour, earth tremor in eastern and a said Marshal Bulganin and Mr part of northern Japan today.

Police reported no casualties,

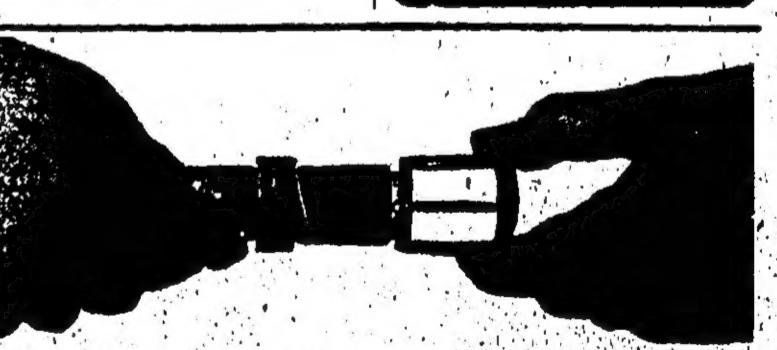
Boston, Dec. 15.

creasing their purchases of Japanese goods. In an address to the world affairs council of

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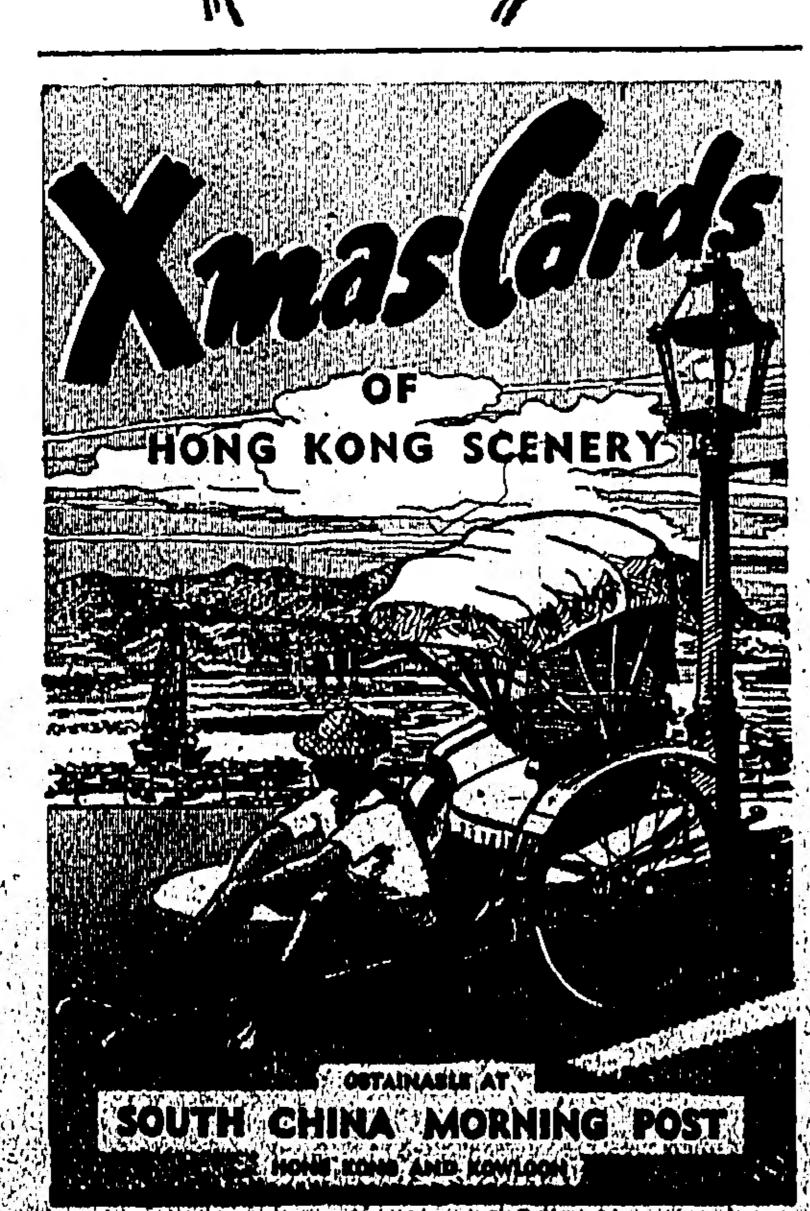
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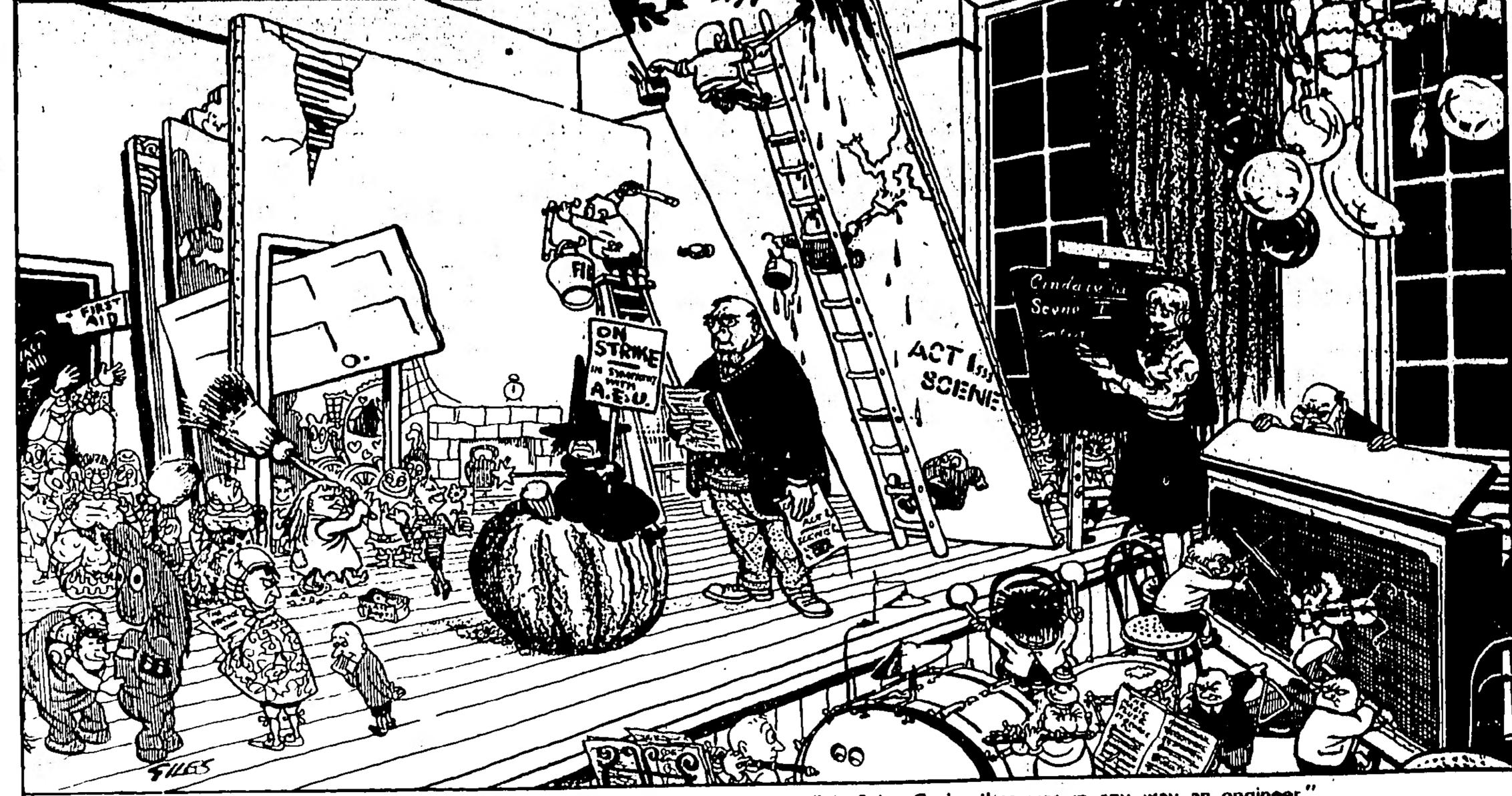
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"Not in the widest sense, Wilkins, will I accept that Cinderella's Fairy Godmother was in any way an engineer."

London Express Service

Continuing The New Everest Adventure:

THE HEAT BARRIER, NOW THEN WHAT?

in the Mojave Desert. ing general here, lives saved." J. S. Holtoner, in this most conic flying, fatalities at Edadvanced of aircraft test wards average only two a year

finition. Everest, talks vaguely of There is every facility here the upper sky, but Major for testing planes—24 aeroplane the dest effect of the facilities for the facilities the most vivid description: represented. cross the threshold to outer planes.

space. zing meteorites, and weightlessness."

plane overhead crashed the hangars. barrier."

prehension."

Ideal site

THE heat, or thermal, barrier, L the last frontier, defies definition, but the officers and men ! at this base are penetrating it more and more deeply each day. Led by Colonel Everest, they are conquering the upper space. This base is ideally suited to launch the invasion of the lonely sky and break down the

heat barrier. miles dead level and rock-hard. examined the ground or bed of from a strange kind the desert-dry lake. It is a pneumonia. From oth form of clay, better than any concrete or macadam. The parts of the world, heaviest aircraft in the world; days a year are ideal for flying for the hundred, and sixty out of 865 here at Muroc, in the heart of country for several weeks. the desert, but on the other days rains come, and by some miracle that is the only "treatment" or renovation that this lake bed, preventing cracking colleworble flu because it the struggle for life in tougher. The changes in the microbes or holes and preserving the cause, smoog other things and better suited breeds which may make them immune to ideal, landing surface.

Ideal, landing surface.

Edwards Air Force Base, alreraft involved, but an estimate of the damage that THAT is the heat the lake not been available for barrier? The emergency landings. Of course, command - we can't reckon the value of

Despite the hazards of supercentres, has no specific de- -the base was named after Captain Glen Edwards, killed here in 1948—but there are The chief test pilot, many narrow escapes, forced

Arthur Murray, one of the manufacturers, four Govern- the test pilots come in." rocket-ship test team, has branches of the Services are all

What unpredictable dangers developing and perfecting the up at week-ends.

What the five percent is devoted to "wild blue yonder" and lives it way you can tell is that the of control. I am falling upplane has a slightly different ward, tumbling erazily across wait for the first man to descendants of the experimental. He is usually a quiet family feel as you approach the speed the sky at more than 1,400

have been here plane after children, and most of the other must be through sound speed." "The air is so thin you'll boi! plane has been taking off, test pilots are family men living Major Murray is more blur as the deadly shock-waves like a tea-kettle; so cold, a Firemen in aspestos suits stand quiet, sober lives in their little graphic. He has written: 'I hammer my rocket ship with and roar away.

Caldwell said: "There goes the the scientists and engineers Virginian. have worked out on their charts I am told here that the main flight, in command now . . .

is no engineer alive who can ship into the upper sky.

DON IDDON'S DIARY

controls are going to react at piloted 110 different kinds of all speeds and in all kinds of planes in 13 years of flying.

and accessories which seem forced landings that the pilots foolproof on the ground, but walk away from.

Family man

Colonel Caldwell replied: "The only noise probably comes from the pilot himself yelling in apprehension."

One engineer told me: "There aptitude and temperament — a plane (chase planes always unique knack for handling airescent the rockets to guide them tween theory and fact, and, recraft and an ardent scientific in emergencies and detect flaws) that extends to risk
The only noise probably comes from the pilot himself yelling in apprehension."

One engineer told me: "There aptitude and temperament — a plane (chase planes always escort the rockets to guide them is an inevitable disparity because the rockets and detect flaws) in emergencies and detect flaws) in emergencies and detect flaws) are the rockets to guide them the probably comes from the pilot himself yelling in apprehension." We can calculate basic aero- taking but not recklessness.

predict exactly how a plane's Peter Everest himself has manœuvres and at tremendous He is not frightened to talk about accidents. "We've lots "We can design plane parts of accidents; most of them instruments cannot keep up.

man, aged between 25 and 35. of sound. You feel this and miles an hour. Muroc is never still. While I Everest himself has three you go past it and figure you

am part of a team of explorers unleashed fury. . . . I hang on mercury thermometer would by in their trucks, pilots stroll houses on the base.

Irecze; cosmic radiation, whiz- across the tarmac swinging their Everest, as chief test pilot and punching their way higher and and ride it out until finally, I weird helmets, climb into their jets, boss of the 30-man test team higher above the deep blanket sink back into heavier air down here, receives only \$8,000 a of air surrounding the earth. near 70,000." I was chatting with Colonel A whole fleet of mother ships year. Although his ancestor Up into the last frontier in the Colonel Everest does not talk Robert Caldwell, Deputy Com- is always lined up, and because was Sir George Everest, he re- silent cold where the mercury or write like that. His great mander of Edwards, known of the ideal weather it is not gards himself as a West hangs at 67 below zero Fahren- predecessor, Bill Bridgeman, one hereabouts as Muroc, when a necessary to house them in the Virginian. His closest friend, heit. (After the deep freeze of America's foremost experifirst man to fly through the comes the furnace-blast heat.) mental test pilots, who flew the sound barrier. There was the The great mission of Muroc sound barrier, Major Charles "I've developed a safesharp explosion and Colonel is to try out in practice what (Chuck) Yeager, is also a West cracker's feel for the delicate pressure controls. I am in free

I asked him: "Is there any and laboratory benches in qualification for a test pilot am heavy with fuel, but I pull is an unusual combination of smoothly away from the chase dynamics on the ground with Vast experience is necessary of sky under me. The controls considerable accuracy, but there before you can take a rocket feel sluggish. I move them cautiously with taut muscles.

make my blood boil. Eighty Major Murray. thousand - still climbing - and here's the burn-out. My thousand feet. It is infuel is gone and inertia hurls tensely bright outside; the conme upward. At 83,035ft, I pass trast of the dark shadows of the the world altitude record, and cockpit is extreme and strange. now I am closer to the moon It is so dark lower in the cockthan man has ever been before. "I begin to feel weightless

Falling upward

Some of the pilots are not co-ordination I can command at particularly eloquent about the this moment as I plunge into last horizon. They seem to the controllability envelope . . . "Nobody knows how an Five percent of the work THE test pilot today is not a think little of supersonic speed, a wing drops and then it comes. aeroplane will act up there. consists of test flights. Ninety- I wild boy who roars into the Major Yeager says: "The main I sp., 1 wildly, supersonically out

"Earth and sky whirl in a

"Outside I know that the javelin-shaped skyrocket, howair pressure is low enough to ever, has the vivid touch like Bridgeman says: "Eighty

pit that I cannot read the instruments sunk low on the and I am flying so fast that my panel. The dials on top in the light are vividly apparent. There seems to be no reflection. It is all black or white, apparent or non-apparent. No half-tones.

"It's a pure, immaculate world here. She levels off silently. I roll to the right and there it is. Out of the tlny window slits there is the earth wiped clean of civilisation, a vast relief map with papier mache mountains and mirrored lakes and seas ... it is as if I am the only living thing connected to this totally strange. uninhabited planet 15 miles below me.

"The plane that carries me and I are one and alone." As for Colonel Everest, he just says: "It is flying-different, challenging, strange. perhaps, but still flying."

> ON MONDAY, The X-2 Hurtles Towards Its Goal



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BY DAVID DEVONPORT Lieut.-Colonel Lloyd Garland IN the war between man Just two years ago, Dr F. M.: If that were all, it would took me out to the extra- I and the microbe, the Burnett in his book, "Virus and probably only be a matter of Man," wrote: "At the present time before modern antibiotics ordinary dry lake which must microbe may be registering time work is going on with an-gave us mastery over the best alarming gains.

other virus which probably falls microbe.

landing field—65 smooth square

To Now Zooland pring close to influenza viruses A, and

In New Zealand,

the fastest aircraft in the world, disease is on the rampage, seems to have made amazing could hever dent it. Three in Britain, a strange kind of progress.

Colonel Carland said we is interesting because the doctors disease.

reckon that this dry lake has think it is caused by a strain of But when we have controlled new antihiotic man discovers reckon that this dry lake has think it is caused by a strain of But when we have controlled new antihiotic man discovers reckon that this dry lake has the microbe may be able to sayed us over \$250,000,000, influence virus known as wints other breads, they are given a the microbe may be able to the total value of C.

We got out of the car and I new-born babies have died. B... This may soon be known of as Virus C. It is cortainly of no great importance in comparison other with influenza A. and B and man's one. With every generathere will not be mentioned again." are reports that a similar In those two years, Virus C mutation—a structural change

The rains put a coating—a the British flu is not serious which are potentially dangerous change may mean that life is sort of gloss or lacquer—on the —it has been nicknamed, the but are kept under control in impossible.

Unfortunately, that is not all.

The microbe can go through millions, of generations for tion, there is a chance of a different type. Since the microbe is an

extremely simple organism, it is likely to find that these changes Hoth these outbreaks seem to The reasons are not hard to make little difference to its have one thing in common they find. In two days, the microbe ordinary chances of life. They scenningly cannot be mastered by has an edge on man. In the first are not in the position of com-

· JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Clever Playing Ties Up Foe

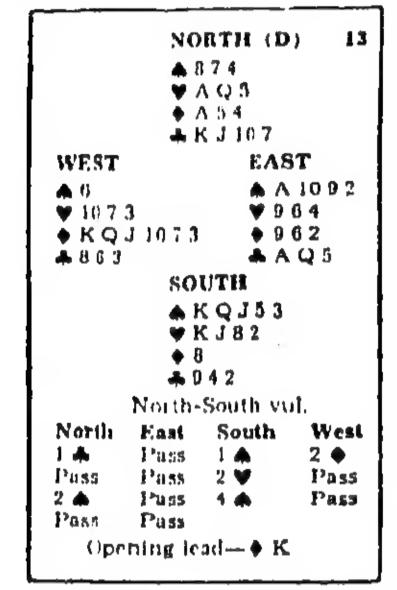
By OSWALD JACOBY

in today's hand. Some experts 13 chemical substances which, when call it by the French name "en they will make wine. At first passant" porrowed from chess, ary wine. Then later, I suppose, a since South makes his trump concection which will be mistaken "in passing." Whatever name is used, the play is very fine.

West opened the king of diamonds, and declarer won in dummy with the ace. At first tending grane-gathering, and all glance South was very happy the technicalities of making the with his contract, although he had had misgivings during the dustrial statisticians that in countries bidding The complications up- where wine is made by the old peared later

led a trump from the dummy conveyor belt A new Snibbo liqueur and won with the king in his its promised for next year. It is with. own hand. He got back to seeholic sparkling brandy Soon, Calmacas and patience are the win- Have a happy and pleasant staydrilling with the ace of hearts in every bar, you will hear barmen ning attributes in handling today's at-home day and you will discover to lead another spade, and this saving. "No need to sak what your problems. Don't let the neighbours all over again how much fun the time won with the queen of Snibbrandi, of course" "That's spades in his own hand. West's light, Benderson, and put a good dramond discard was a disalton on it" appointment

South next led a club and finessed dummy nick won with the queen of clubs



and returned a diamond b make South ruff South led another club to knowk out the ace, and East returned another dramond to make South ruff again

Now South was down to the blank rack of soudes, and East still had the accesten. How was South to avoid the loss of two trump tricks"

The only hene was to eash ali the side tricks and lead from dummy at the twelfth trick Hence South clehed the king and queen of hearts, follower by the king of clubs.

East had to follow suit to all of these plays, after which he was left with he two trumps When daming now led the las club, there was no way for East to shut out declarer's jack of snades. East could make only the acc of framus, and South fulfilled his contract

CHRD Sense

Q-The bidding has been: East South 1 Heart Pass 1 Spade Pass Pass

You, South, hold: ♠AJ10832 ¥62 ♦J103 ♣52 What do you do?

A-Bld two spades. This bid does not show a hand with which you hope to reach game, but merely a hand that will play better at spades than at no-trump. TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold: AAQ982 ♥Q765 ♦K 102 42

What do you do? Answer Tomorrow

BY THE •

IT must be three or four years

By Beachcomber

They claimed that they could plicitly go out after it or not, you a very early ago, you may never produce, in a matter of hours. a probably will achieve wealth well wed at all.

Sully matured wine which would before middle age.

Among those born on this date THERE isn't a good name in English for the end position Tribune announces the discovery of for Haut Brion of 1924,

Gracious living

WINDPRACTORS are convinced that the slow business of vineprocesses, many millions of manhours are wasted every month. Every hour \$,000 tins of creamy At the second trick declarer Chatena Snibools come off the described as a supervitaminous, non-

A 1 at Cruft's

The dog accompanier his mistress

(News Rem)

AS I have so often said at dog-A concerts, his Bach is worse than his bite. When I was an engine-room artificer in H.M.S Intolerable, we had a dog who played the harp with his nose at ship's concerts.
Visitors suspected that we had trained him by making him stand on hot bricks, and asked why we could not employ a human beling. who would perform far better. We said it was meant to be a comic turn Later, we sold the dog to an nightwatchman in Barking Creek. "He'll get no more harp-playing," said the old man, not unreasonably.

For your anthology

Time's past abstraction's innocent Of Time's own perilous intent. Else, how should mortals find Their own pale images of Time? (Mrs H. Webster)

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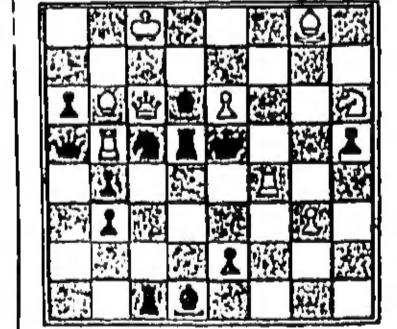
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small squares may be used once only. Each word must contain the large letter in the centre square, and there must be at least one nine-letter word in the list. No plurals; no foreign words; no proper names. TODAY'S TARRET: 24 words, good; 30 words, very good; 35 words, excellent, Solution tomorrow.

TESTERDAT'S SOLUTION, -Assets stom trump transom trap trade.

CHESS PROBLEM

By R. J. PNIAK Black, 12 pieces.



White, 9 pieces. White to play; mate in two.

Solution to yesterday's problem:

1, Kt-Kt5, any; 2, Q, or Kt

This Funny World



"Remember, dear-just leave it outside. Don't take it to the office again"

YOUR BIRTHDAY ... by STELLA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

well as the ability to express your Austen, author: ideas with dramatic portent. Smith and Abbot Lawrence, scien-Although you may not appear to tists; John F. Grimke, be doing so, almost everything you Lillian Russell, actross; George write hos a "message" wrapped up Whitehead, evangelist. in bright colours. You are interested in mysticism and the occult

To find what the stars have I Originality of idea is your middle birthday star, and read the corrername and you are so independent, ponding paragraph. Let your birthintellectually, that you ignore, restst day star be your daily guide.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

for you. If you don't know how to think something through, you will capitalise on them, go into pariner- direover it's an easily solved prob-AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)- LEO (July

impulsively and without thinking be sure that you get first quality. could hurt someone you really love, especially if you are bargain-Just be careful what you say (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)-You must be very self-confident The old budget may need pruning.

cleaned and pressed

BORN today, you have exceptional and actually resent criticism. As versatility and can turn your far as you are concerned, convenhand with equal skill to a number tions are just something to ignore since scientists in the Snibbo laboratories announced that they had discovered a chemical formula for making Claret and Burgundy without any of the trouble of growing grapes.

In must be three or four years and with equal skill to a number tions are just something to ignore at things. Science and arts are apt and get as far away from as to be your happiest mediums of expossible. You are inclined to get previous but you can do almost so thoroughly involved with your southing that is demanded of you. career and professional life that you so this reason, alone, you will have little time or interest left for never lack for the material goods of love and romance. It is very this world and whether you expossible that unless you marry at

> are: George Santayana, philosopher; You have a vivid imagination as Noel Coward, dramatist; Jane

> > store for you tomorrow, select your

BAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)- GEMINI (May 22-June 21)-This is the day when all chores You could find yourself right in the around the house should be started, middle of an interesting romance. bright and early Then you can An unexpected meeting may play an Important part. CAPRICORN (Dec. 21-Jan. 20) __ CANCER (June 22-July 23)-Your ideas should be put to work If you will just take time out to

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)-The tagtiess remark you let out If buying supplies for the house. LIBRA

by burking rhuthmica... while she today if you are to reap the harvest. Go over it with members of your plays the pigno. Take the initiative, hong on to it family; let them all help. family; let them all help. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-This is a good time to take care Be frank in any problem and you of your wardrobe See that all will find it pays better in the long your clothes, even if not new, are run. Being secretive about things never does any good

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= WOMANSENSE



Pretty enough for the gayest Christmas cooktail party, Simone's hand-crocheted beret recalls the Swan Lake ballet. In palest aquamarine blue, it is trimmed with iridescent "Icaves."

-(London Express Service).

PATTERNED CARPETS MAKING A COMEBACK

New York. dom with a new chapeau, by leaps and bounds. But these days it's also likely to be with a new carpet.

Patterned rugs are making a industry says there's one big daring, some carpets have with lack of pattern.

STARKNESS OVERDONE

withms of the stock simplicity carpets with modern furniture. rage of the 1930's and '40's. Even designs reminiscent of the They went the way of ornate Victorian era are back, big red just couldn't understand why her furniture and gregaws in archi- roses and all. tceture.

starkness. People yearn for turn to pattern underfoot - a ed. Nothing was wrong with it, warmth, colour and design in pattern or strong texture con- mechanically. But when she dis- run cold water into a hot pan. their household surroundings, ceals signs of traffic. — United covered that the inside walls of nor pour hot water into a vessel Carpets were one place to start. Press.

The Institute said the first signs of the return to pattern came with tweed and three-

dimensional textures on the floor. TRADITIONALLY a The new cottons and synthetics took well to bold colours, and woman cures her bore- the colour range in wool grew

NEW DESIGNS

Now, the stress is on pattern, but there are quiet designs for colour underfoot, and the carpet the conservative. For the more When grime and rust is loosenreason-women just got bored neutral background but one bold should be cleaned with hairpin. shock of colour inserted to toothpick or fine wire. It's underscore a coffee table or amazing what can be dredged grouping of chairs. Some decora- out of an apparently clean tors now combine American- burner! Treat the oven to a good The patterned carpets were made reproductions of oriental going-over, also.

we apparently overdid the other good reason for the re- gested that the stove be check- of temperature may cause metal

It's Time To Put Your Kitchen In Order

By ELEANOR ROSS

the confusion, and to the even door had been weaken-prevent you and the family reason for her baking failures. from enjoying the holiday, is to leave until the last with grease that scouring isn't minute the task of putting chough, wash it with ammonia the kitchen and its equip- or one of those fine degressing ment to rights.

time it is, to get every bit of ing, clean out the residual rust equipment in order, and to go with steel wool; over all utensils, china, glass and silver. Discard the obsolete, and put aside pieces that can be repaired either professionally or at home. The last-minute pretty- leaky pies, and so forth. And ing up of the kitchen—since it is becoming more and more popular as a snackery—can come later. Now is the time to get after stove and refrigerator, and cooking and serving equipment.

That range, be it gas or electrie, won't give the best results, equipment likely to be in use however fine the ingredients, during the holidays, and see however great your skill as a that it is in perfect condition. cook, if it isn't in first-class Buy those items, either gadgets working condition. Elements that or basic utensils, that you have are almost burned out or that been meaning to get for some have become dull should be re- time. If you really need them, moved. Gas burners should be now is the time to stock up. renewed if they are worn out. Last-minute purchases, unless of Sometimes all that a sluggish gas basic, always-in-stock items are burner needs is a really good upt to be disastrous. unclogging of its vents.



Of course, the range will work even if it is dirty, but it won't work well. Cast-iron burners frosting units, since frost can can be cleaned easily by boiling in an enamel pan with a generous helping of baking soda. a ed, scrub with a brush. Holes at the task then.

We remember a friend who cakes began turning out poorly. After eliminating all the possible But the Carpet Institute said The Institute said there is an causes for failure, someone sugthe oven were cased with

NE sure way to add to thick conting of carbon and that

If an oven is so badly burned liquids. Apply ammonia with a cloth, let stand overnight with Now is the time, and high oven door closed. In the morn-

> To keep the oven clean, we've found, it's wise to put a layer of aluminium foil in the bottom of the oven to catch the spill from it is a good idea to il a casserole only two-thirds full so that it won't run over when it bolls.



Get after every other bit of

Along with the range, the retrigerator should be checked and any necessary repairs made at once. It's a good time, also, to invest in one of those self-dekeep a refigerator from functioning normally. When frost is quarter-inch thick, it's time to defrost, but we don't always get

Household Hints

A layer of gravel on the top of your window boxes will prevent the rain from spattering your windows with dirt.

Sudden and extreme changes cooking utensils to warp. Don't a that's been chilled.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

"Maybe not," agreed Hia-

watha, "But I wish I could eat

the things that my grandfather

used to eat. My grandfather was

"What did your grandfather,

"Oh," said Knarf, in a voice

that showed how much he was

the Indian Chief, used to eat?"

an Indian Chief," he added,

Knarf asked Hiswatha.

watha, proudly.

arrow.

Unhappy Little Brave

- Knari Tries To Convince Hiawatha He's Really Lucky -

By MAX TRELL

661 WISH I were a real convinced at how fortunate it I Indian boy instead of just was that he didn't have to eat a wooden Indian boy," Hiawatha such things as pie. the Wooden Indian was saying to Knarf, the shadow,

SPATENDED

Knarf looked at the little spinach or string beans. You wooden Indian boy for several wouldn't like soup. moments before he said: "I think, Hia, you ought to be glad you're a wooden boy instead of a real boy." "I don't see why you say

that," replied Hiawatha. "Well," said Knarf, "wooden boys don't have to bother dressing and undressing."

He Wouldn't Mind

"I wouldn't mind that," said Hinwatha. "And wooden boys," tinued Knarl, "don't have to brush their teeth or comb their hair or wash' their necks and

said Hiawatha. "Are they?" "Some boys don't like them," sald Knarf. "And wooden boys don't have to eat."

"Those things eren't so bad," the buffalcs?"

voice sounded a little sorrow- hundreds of buffalos. My grandful. "I don't have to cat at all. I'm made of wood inside and

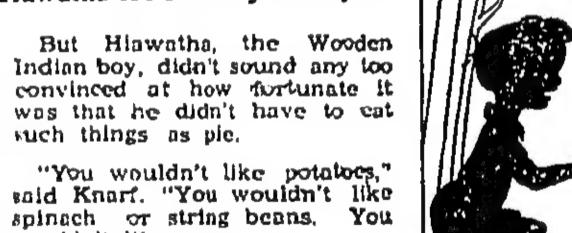
"There, that's what I meant!" said Knarf. "You don't have to "they would build a roaring fire watha, is in a story book." bother eating at all. Just think of all the time you save."

"Yes," said Hiawatha, and his voice sounded more sorrowful than over, "But just think of all the good things I miss cating."

"What things?" asked Knarf.

"I don't think so," said Knart.
"You wouldn't like apple ple unless you liked apples. Do you like appler?" "I don't know," said Hiswaths, "I never tried any."

"You wouldn't like cherry pie either." said Knarf. "Cherries are too sour. You wouldn't like prach pie. Peaches are too sweet. I don't think you'd like any kind of pie."



"You wouldn't like spinach," Knarf told Hlawatha.

"He are buffalos," said Hia- and roast the buffalo steaks." "Mm'mi" said Knorf.

Only In Story Books

impressed by what Hiawatha Hiawatha nodded. 'They must had just told him; "that's differ- have been delicious all right ent. It really is a shame not to But my grandfather was a real be able to eat like a regular Indian. I'm nothing but a Indian. How did your grand- Wooden Indian. How can I befather, the Indian Chief, catch come a real Indian?"

Knarf was silent for several Hiawatha said that his grand- minutes. Finally father had told him that he "There's only one wooden boy hunted for buffalos on the great that anyone over heard of who on't have to eat."

west in plains. "There were big became a real boy. His name "No," said Hiawatha, and his herds of them — hundreds and was Pinocchio."

> father and all his Braves used to "I'd like to meet that boy," hunt them with bow and said Wooden-Indian-Hlawaths.

Knorf sigh d. "The only "Then," Hiawatha, continued, place you can find him, Hia-

Rupert's Deep Sea Adventure-53





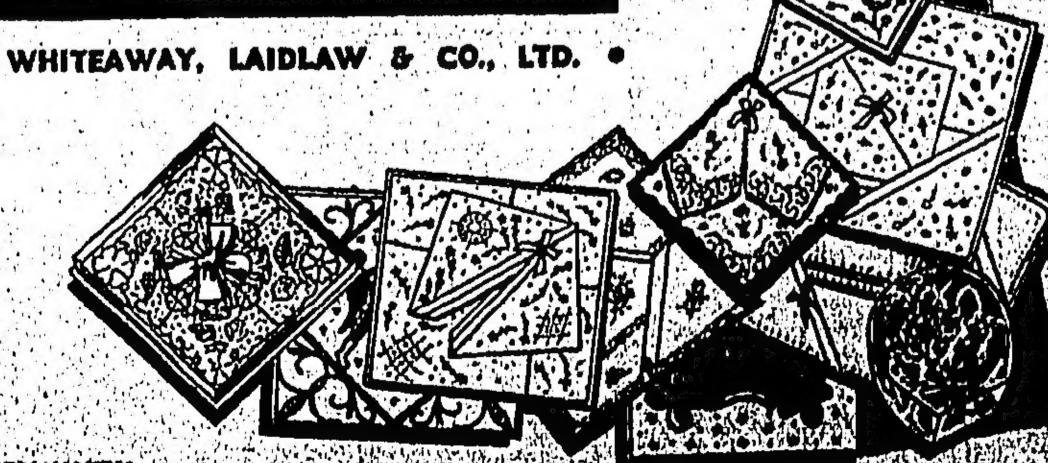


Whiteaways stocks of handkerchiefs are full of novelties that will catch your eye, either loose or in boxes there is a wealth of ideas and design. Some of the handkerchiefs from Switzerland deserve special mention, particularly the lace trimmed and those with beautiful embroidery. Whiteaways handkerchiefs are full of glamour and appeal. You should see them to-morrow.

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am on both days. MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

NO FERSON WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED. All persons MUST wear their badges prominently displayed foroughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10,00 each per day are obtainable through the Secretary on the written or personal introduction of a Member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him,

Tiffins will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 72811). NO CHILDREN will be admitted to the Club's premises

during the Meeting. For this purpose a Child is a person under the age of seventeen years, Western Standard.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each per day payable at the Gate. Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the

requisite fee of \$3,00 in order to gain re-admission. MEALS and REFRESHMENTS will be obtainable in the RESTAURANT.

SERVANTS

Servants must remain in their employer's boxes except for passing through on their duties. They may on no account use the Betting Booths in the Members' Enclosure.

CASH SWEEPS

Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$16.00 each for the second day may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building, lost his bone, I walked round (Chater Road), and 5, D'Aguilar Street during normal office hours to the Spurs ground and tapped and until 11.00 a.m. on the day of the Race Meeting.

Particular numbers within the series 1 to 4,000 may be reserved for all race meetings as Through Tickets. Such tickets will be issued consecutively only and the right is reserved by the Stewards to cancel any reservation for Through Tickets for s particular Meeting if it is found that sales may not reach the number reserved in the series 1 to 4,000.

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Tickets reserved and available but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 9th December, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future Meetings.

Tickets over 4,000 will also be issued consecutively but particular numbers cannot be reserved as Through Tickets. The reservation of any particular number does not confer on the registered holder any rights whatsoever unless the ticket bearing the appropriate number is issued to and can be produced

by the holder. The Stewards reserve the right to refuse any subscription also the right to remove any name from subscription lists without stating reasons for their action.

Cash Sweep Tickets on the last race of the Meeting at \$2,00 each may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building (Chater Road), 5, D'Aguillar Street and 382, Nathan Road during normal office hours and until 11.00 a.m. on both days of the Meeting.

SPECIAL CASH SWEEP

Tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the Pearce Memorial Cup scheduled to be run on 4th February 1956, at \$2.00 each, may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices.

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Backers are advised not to destroy or throw away their tickets until after the "all clear" signal has been exhibited

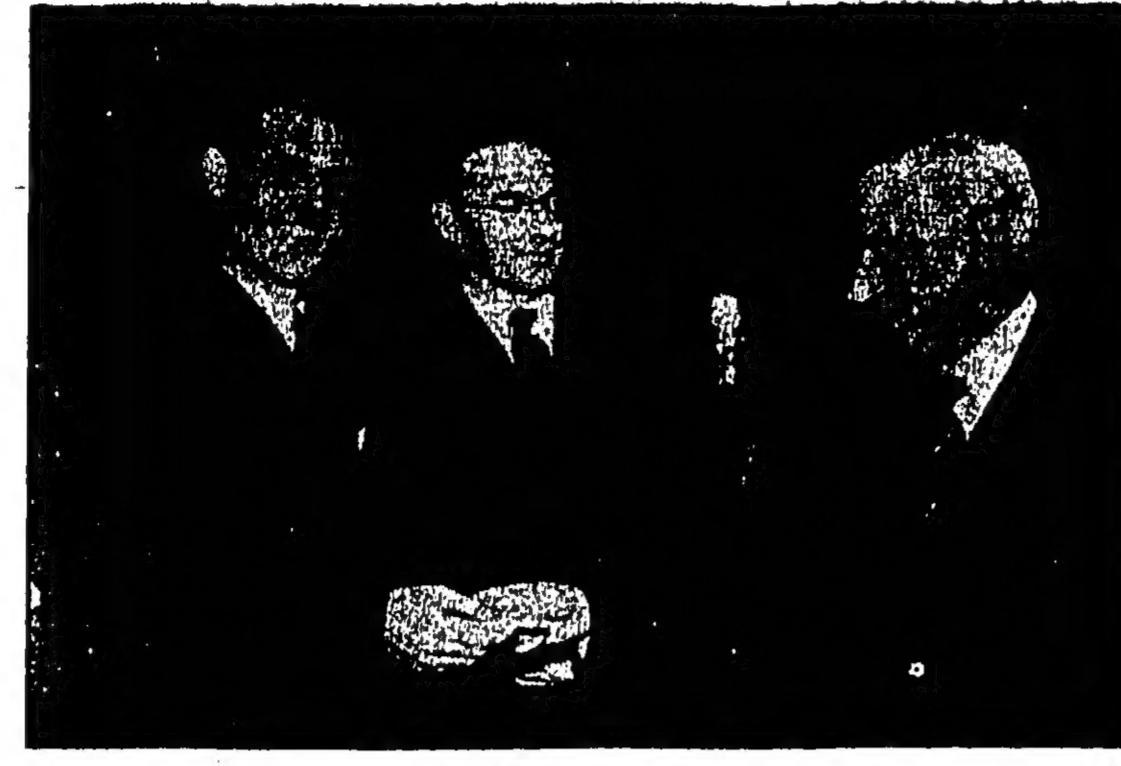
ALL WINNING TICKETS AND TICKETS FOR REFUNDS MUST BE PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT AT THE RACE COURSE ON THE DAY TO WHICH THEY REFER, NOT LATER THAN ONE HOUR AFTER THE TIME FOR WHICH THE LAST RACE OF THE DAY HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO BE RUN. PAYMENTS WILL NOT BE MADE ON TORN OR DISFIGURED TICKETS.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

THE GAMBOLS AS BY

By Order of the Stewards, A. E. ARNOLD,

RENDERED AT TENNIS



British tennis stars Tony Mottram (left) and Geoff Paish receive from Lord Templewood, President of the Lawn Tennis Association, a presentation in recognition of services they have rendered to British Lawn Tennis.

The presentation preceded the Association's Annual Meeting at the Waldorf Hotel, Aldwych, London, on December 8. Before turning professional in October Mottram had represented Britain in 56 Davis Cup matches - more than any other player in history.-Reuterphoto.

THE JIMMY DIMMOCK STORY

Cut Was Banked Bonus Too

As told by JIMMY DIMMOCK to JACK WOOD

Jimmy Dimmock signed professional forms for Tottenham Hotspur in August 1919. Clapton Orient were anxious to sign him, and he wanted to sign for them.

"Orient, my club during the war, approached me, and I promised to think it over, says Jimmy.

"The next night Mr Peter McWilliam, manager of Spurs, came round to our house and told me that he wanted me to sign for his club. I told him I wanted to join the Orient.

"He pointed out that, as a boy of 14. I had signed as an amateur for Spurs, and that if I did not honour that signing I would never be allowed to play for any other club.

"There were special regulations which operated during the war which gave clubs first claim on all players who were on their books in 1914. TOP WAGE AT 19

"I went to Orient the next day and told them what had happened. They told me that there was nothing they could do, and wished me luck with the Spurs.

"Like a little dog who has at the manager's door. greeted by Mr McWilliam with: 'I've been waiting for you to come. Put your signature on the dotted line. Your wages will be £8 a week in the winter and £6 in the summer."

At 19 Jimmy Dimmock was a

His wing partner was Bert Fiyer." a kindly man who And, as Jack Elkes, his old Seed and Tommy Clay, What a quickly recognised that in the team-mate, has told, Dimmock marvellous fellow that Jimmy slim youngster alongside there the "easy touch." do the right thing that belongs of his schooldays. If some of ing wonderful little caricatures only to the footballing great. them had not done as well as of us players.

lights and for wine. THERE TO STAY

earlier from Arsenal at a fee of

outside left.

game. Now go out there at Boy." Highbury and prove me right," Dimmock had a good game. He stayed in the side for the raiding winger who could hit worried about my spending.



ARTHUR GRIMSDELL A wonderful Spurs captain

full-tune footballer on top greatest assets, and at the end liked our bit of life. wages. The money was good of the season they were Chamand the life was a full one, and pions of the Second Division the season began with him at with 74 points, six points clear inside-left in the Spurs reserve of their nearest challengers, thing but your best, and the Huddersfield Town.

"Tottenham was also Dimmock the spender.

Everyone knew him as "The he, then surely, Jimmy reason-Boy." This boy learned his job od, it was his duty to help them, quickly, and learned, too, that "I used to find two or three my autograph in a youngster's on a weekly wage of £8 (a for- of the boys walting for me on tune in those days) there was pay days. When you've known could never take offence at money to spare for the bright them al your life, and had so Jimmy-he asked to see the much fun with them, you can't see them short of a bob or two." Soon the schoolboy dream of Clothes, too, were an attracplaying for the Spurs' first team tion, and soon he had a fine was realised. Jimmy Chipper- wardrobe of hand-tailored suits, field signed only a few months silk shirts, and expensive shoes, Away from football he liked £1,000, was left out in a Charity nothing better than to sit in the Cup game against the Arsenal inns of North London and enjoy and Dimmock took his place at life with his own folk.

Manager McWilliam, a Scot "But I am an inside-left," who had won eight caps in a protested Dimmock, "You mean long and distinguished career you were," replied Mr Mc- with Newcastle United, saw that William. "I think you can be success had brought with it its the greatest left-winger in the problems in the case of "The

SMALL FORTUNE

"One day before the 1920-21 rest of the season. Quickly he season began the Guy'nor called established himself as a fast, me and told me that he was told him that it was my money ed afterwards. Dimmock had arrived. "The and I could look after it all Boy" was one of the club's right.

"He told me firmly that from that moment I would be allowed to draw only £6 a week of my £8 wage. And any bonuses I earned would go into the bank with my other two pounds. I don't think he had ever heard of the Truck Acts which make such; things illegal, but then, neither had I."

That was the way it was with Dimmock and his money until Peter McWilliam left to become manager of Middlesbrough in 1926, and that was why Jimmy Dimmock, the spendthrift, left Spurs with a small fortune.

Skipper of the Spurs in the great days was Arthur Grimsdell, a stern man both on and off the field, but a man who, K. Shleh), Helicon (R. Tsai), heard of the whole incident. Dimmock admits, had a lot to do with his development.

"We never got on really well," says Dimmock of Grimsdell, now a successful Watford business man. "He was a remote sort of fellow and did not approve of me and the others who

"But on the field he was a wonderful captain. You used to feel that you could not do anypasses he used to roll out my Dimmock, the left-wing star, way were always perfect.

'My best pals were Jimmy was. He could master anything. was that instinctive ability to His pols were still the pals from playing the piano to draw-

"Soon after we met he saw me, one day, struggling to write book. In a very nice way-you autograph."

I STUDIED

It seems that Dimmock, the new star, was not prepared for his part in the autograph hunts that lay shead. Jimmy Seed set out to help him.

"We used to sit in the pub after training and we would practise writing 'Jimmy Dimmock' together. He taught me to put a squiggle on the end, and at nights I would practise writting in the Jimmy Seed by. "The next year we won the FA Cup. I got the only goal against Wolves at Stamford Bridge and the Spurs supporters went crazy."

NEXT FRIDAY: That Cup-I winning goal, and what happen-

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Tomorrow's Chances At The Valley

By "RAPIER"

The second half of the Hongkong Jockey Club's Third Race Meeting of the 1955/56 season is scheduled for this coming Saturday and will feature the Hongkong St. Leger for 1955 Subscription Griffins over 11/4 Miles.

Seven other races for Classes 1, 8, 6, 8 and 9 ponice will also be included in a programme of eight events. The first race will be run at 2 p.m.

The opening event tomorrow is confined to Class 9 ponies with novice jeckeys as pilots. A perusal of the entries would seem to indicate that Calamity Travert), Ben Lawers (Enfield), Congratulation (Albert Lam) and Queenpots (Hulse) are the ones to fight out the issue in this race. Calamity is my choice and I

think it should win, but Ben Lowers is not to be ignored as this pony can move and the distance is more to its liking. Congratulation is not bad over this distance and should not be disregarded. The same remark applies to Queenpots.

SECOND RACE Dragon's Back Handlesp: Six

The winner of this race should come from among Kerrers (A. Ostroumoff), Scrabo Plumbly), Blondle (M. Samareq) and Thankagiving Day (W. Williamson).

Kerrera, which ran third in the Barassie Handicap over the mile at the last meeting, will be ready for another try and shoud give a good run for your money. Scrabo, which was officially

Blondie can figure to provide the upset over this distance. and is a good outsider.

fourth in the above race, should

THIRD RACE

Stanley Bay Handicap: 1% Miles. Winsome Stag, H. K. Chunng up, a great disappointment last time out, should command most support from the public. Because of its recent sharp training during morning gallops, it must be rated as the pony most likely to win this race.

Two ponies should provide strong opposition-Apple Ple (R. Tsai) and Sportsmanship (H. H. Chan). The former is rounding into winning form and should be close while the latter is also currently in good form. Diamond Dahlia (K. Kwok) and Cirrus (W. R. Holman) are in botter shape and should cause some concern here.

FOURTH RACE

Hongkong St. Leger: 1% Milles. This one and three quarter miles gruelling test for 1955 Subscription Griffins is the main event of the afternoon and of the seven entries at least five bout in accordance with the are expected to accept.

Silver Wing (H. K. Chuang) Snow-Damsel (M. Samarcq) and Violet Ray (P. Plumbly).

though it has raced but once Dinning, Southeast Asia gold since the beginning of the medallist, the night previously-1955/56 season, a win for it is stepped in and boxed a three not out of the question. Silver Wing is in fine fettle at

the moment and should provide the opposition here. For the third position a good fight should ensue between Golden Branch and Helicon.

FIFTH RACE Waterfull Bay Handleap: From 134

Mile Post. This " sprint event will contested by Class 6 ponies, In spite of its promotion from Class 7 after winning the Pedder Handicap over the mile at the First Race Meeting, I still fancy the chances of Flying Dutchman (H.H. Chan) to win again. Rebei II (A. Travert) will carry 155 lbs. less 3

allowance, i.e. 152 lbs.

In view of the opposition it may have a say here tomorrow efternoon. Moonrush (H. Hung) looks dangerous and Ironside (P. Plumbly) may yet spring a surprise as this pony is undoubtedly good. As an outsider I recommend

Emperor Delight (C. F. Ng). SIXTH RACE. Mount Collinson Handleap!

Bonita (A. Ostroumoff) remember how the combination the Kwangtung Handleap at the predisposing factor. last moeting, while New Jersey | Referee | Shepherd | rightly well in at the finish.

Other notable contenders for honours are Babsic (E. S. Wong), Fire-glo (K. Kwok), Gold Crown (M. Samarog) and Ben Lomond (P. Plumbly). West Bay Mandleson From 2, Mile

Class 6 ponies will battle out the finish in this event. Tip Top is up two classes for winning the Barassie Handicap over the mile st the Second.

Top and Souvenir. As an outsider keep Tell-memore (R. Tsai) in mind.

EIGHTH RACE

Sandy Bay Handicap: Bix Purlongs.

entered, Mascot (C. H. Ren- if it can do better than place, Seafire (K. Kwok) and Beauti- over this distance and if given ful Lie (R. Tsal) are un- a good start should be near at doubtedly the boot.

Here are my estimates of the the Carnoustic. Handleap over the chances:

THEST RACE

Violet Bill Handleap: From 145 it is capable of extending Tip

Mascot is probably a little better, if we are only to judge by its run over the mile at the First Race Meeting for Ponics of 1955, Class A, when it was beaten into second position by Golden Branch after leading

most of the way. Corvette must be borne in mind as the pony is improving during This is the final event of the morning gallops. The distance meeting and among the ponics also favours Scaffre, but I doubt frew), Corvetto (P. Plumbly), Benutiful Lie is also good

BOXING SMOKER

Airmen Were Clear Victors Over Sailors By 15 Points To Nine

By Our Boxing Reporter

Smoker last night and maintained its well established reputation for surprises, although on this occasion it was not in the manner of the usual thrills, but in a most disappointing ending to an otherwise entertaining evening.

The match was one between a Royal Navy team and one from the Royal Air Force Station at Little Sai Wan. Before explaining the upset that climaxed the show let me say that the Airmen were clear victors over the Sailors by 15 points to 9.

Many of the speciators went jun off-the-target area. Roberts along to the Missions to see the was a narrow winner on first comeback fight of 'Nobby' points. Finch the 1956 Colony Middle- The Lightweight clash beweight Champion. In this they laveen SAC Fink and A. B.

the last bout of the evening which blows were actually against LAC O'Connell but | being scientifically aimed at the when he stepped into the ring target. Both boys showed spirit, it was noticed that he had a and skill above the ordinary, civilian trainer and was clad in and their frequent bouts of the colours of a local boxing fast accurate punching soon club and not in the official Royal had the crowd forgetting all

Referee Jack Shepherd went better punching inside just and after some quick discussion Finch left the ring. The bout with O'Connell was cancelled. follows (RAF first). It was learned later that Finch had 'refused to take part in his on points. rules governing the promotion'. They are Golden Branch (W. It is believed that more may be

Favourite among the carly should not be too disappointed railbirds is Snow-Damsel and Gnr McMenamy-who beat Gnr. exhibition rounde O'Connell. His sporting action expeditious admirable handling of whole unfortunate incident by Jack Shepherd did a lot to restore the situation.

> little disappointing and the boards several times before the fireworks of a week ago were referee called a halt a split not quite repeated. Neverthe- second before the gong went for less there were some hard the end of the second round. gruelling fights and the boxers took a lot of credit from their

The most exciting opening of

(H. R. Hung), if it doesn't lay | warned Roberts but at the same behind at the start, should be time he admonished Nash for causing the blows to land on

winning the Barassia Handicap
over the mile at the Second
Race Meeting with C. H. Renirew up. As it will be taken
out by M. Bamarca tomorrow,
it has still a chance of repeating its previous success.

But it will have to be at its
here tonight.

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about the 'Slience Rule'. Fink's

THE RESULTS

The full list of results is as

LAC Duff beat E.M. Osborne

LAC Glasgow lost to AB Bond

Cpl. Dawson beat L.M(E).

LAC Duvall beat L.S. Rose on

SAC Nevin best E.M. Suther-

SAC Anderson - Dixon beat

Col Roberts beat AB Nash on

SAC Fink beat AB George

In a Special Contest Gnr

McCormick (74 LAA Regt RA)

outclassed LAC Lamb to win on

Lamb was no match for the

Nashua Is Sold

For Over 11/4

Million Dollars

Nashua, the Champion three-

year-old race horse, was sold

Combs of Spendthrift Farm,

The appouncement was made

Eleven bids were received

The total realised for all 62

There was no immediate an-

nouncement from Mr Combs

as to whether Nashua would

was at Belmont Park on Octo-

ber 15, when he won the Jockey

In two years of racing Nashua won a total of \$945,145 and

stands second only in money

winning to Citation, who carned a total of \$1,085,700 throughout

horses involved in the Belgir

for Nashua, this years Cham-

the executors said.

ENIO WAS \$1.866.200.

Club Gold Cup.

by the executors of the estate

Now York, Doc. 15.

flery Gunner and was on the

Trotter on points.

land on points.

Sig Cornwell on points,

points.

points.

on points.

The Missions to Seamen staged another Boxing

were sadly disappointed. George was just about the live-Finch was listed to appear in liest contest of the evening in

Navy garb.

immediately to Finch's corner earned him the ventict.

SPORTING ACTION

In order that the crowd n TKO in the second round.

Generally the boxing was a

ahowings. the evening was in the seventh bout when the bell sent SAC Anderson-Dixon and Sig Cornwell into action like a couple of unterned tigers.

The boys kept it up, with only occasional breathers, until the end and although Cornwell was down several times he persisted in coming right back to the at- today for \$1,251,200 to Leglic tack without being able, however, to overhaul his opponent's lead Lexington, Kentucky. but gamer losers are few and far botween.

The bout between Cpl Roberts of the late Mr. William Woodand AB Nash provided plenty of ward. Junior, owner of the discussion among the crowd. famous Belair studing stable. Roberts was warned on several which has been dissolved certainly the pony to watch in occasions for hitting on the this event, especially if you back of the neck but it looked. very much as though. Nash's plot three-year-old horse. five came from behind to take third | habit of ducking low, in getting of them exceeding \$1,000,000. place over two-mile post in away from an attack, was the

Hungary 3-1 At Table Tennis

his carser.

But it will have to be at its bere tonight.

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Hungary won the previous made Namus eligible for the made Namus eligible for the shalling as this poor will again two triangular tests, at Calcutta rich. Santa Handicap and the Albert Lam's experienced and Lacknow.

The third less in the secies of his new owners want, him to the will be concluded to the start Bottle are \$100,000 events.

The will to take third place in row.—Reuter.



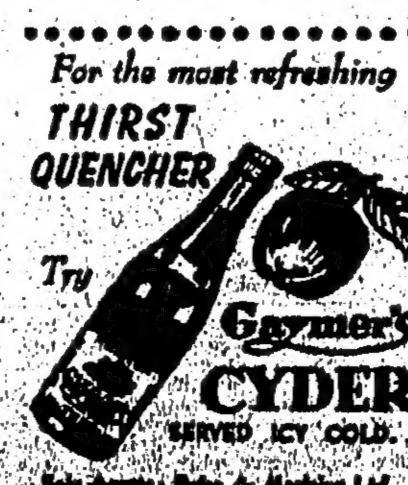




gools with either foot.







Big Soccer News--Spain Wants A Return Match In Madrid

By ARCHIE QUICK

The big news arising from the England-Spain International at Wembley is that the Spaniards want a return match in Madrid. The Secretary of their Football Association proposed a date next May but that is impossible as England have touring commitments in Germany and Scandinavia. It is likely, however, that Spain will be put down as possible opponents in May, 1957.

That England won at Wembley 4-1 was because the players adhered to coach Walter Winterbottom's instructions on defence. With Billy Wright as the king pin around which the entire scheme evolved the home halfbacks and the inside forwards, too, shuffled back on their goal.

ened, which was often, it was and the two stars are only in is Smiling Sam McCarthy of negative football, but it baulked their early twenties.

the skill and experience of Fration Park club. Wright and he tose to the occovering.

A BLACK EYE

specific instructions and they better man." had been furthfully earried out to the letter in the six practice natches the team had had and l form. But then he never is:

I would say, however, that live the first quarter of an hour, during which they scored two goals in a minute, the England team moved belter than any of our International sides for years. The goals were beauties and the team worked perfectly. Why: then did they suddenly remember instructions and go back on defence". If they had gone on as they started they would have reached double figures

Are the Portsmouth Football Club faces red! For John Atyeu two insideforwards against mouth lost a star.

FA CUP SECOND ROUND REPLAYS

London, Dec. 15. Results of today's FA Cup second round replays were: Peterborough United 1, Swinden Town 2 (after extra time); Scunthorpe United 2, Bishop Auckland 0; Worksop 1, Brad-

ford City 0. on January 7 now are:-Rother- "ex" in front of his name by hum United v Scumthorpe United: Swindon Town v. Work- strong word, but they rarely sop.—Reuter,

When, however, danger threat- | cost them more than £40,000,

One who is not going to try

East London. I cannot recall

RETURN FIGHT

return fight with his conqueror,

the British and Empire Featherweight Championships. It was

fight with

was overweight and had to pay

£75 forfeit. He steamed off a

lot of superfluous weight in a

Turkish Bath, but could not

shed the last obstinate pound

when he came in for the bout

weak because of his reducing

efforts. Wisely, McCarthy has

decided to put health before

wealth and has moved up into

the Lightweight class, and put

He was to have got a four-figure

Among the Lightweights he

will meet stern opposition.

pointed the titleholder. Then

of London, and Johnny Butter-

worth, of Leeds. It is a formid-

sisters. Which is most con-

venient, for that fits in with a

seven-day week of training,

with each of his relatives on a

dally roster for seeing that his

kit is in order. For you must

know that there is no place in

the McCarthy set up for the

soiled training gear which

generally figures in the average

boxer's paraphernalia, Mc-

Carthy is always neat and tidy,

whether it be fight nights or

boxer's cooking, and Sammy

says it is going to stay that way

Mother also does all the

training sessions.

Sammy has a mother and six

able list that faces McCarthy.

his weight worries behind him.

purse for the Kelly fight too.

The writing was on the wail

to be in Belfast in the New

McCarthy was all set for a

the visitors. England relied on Atyeo is a chartered account- the last occasion, if there ever her goal-making from breaks- ant at Warminster, and in the was one, of a former Chamaway in the old Arsenal fashlon, Wiltshire town Pompey's fam- pion refusing the opportunity eatehing the Spaniards wrong our old-time centreforward of recovering his precious foot, as they ended their at- Billy ("Farmer's Boy") Haines, crown, But Sammy has, keeps a public house. He in Each of the England goals also Chairman of the Portsmouth came in this style following Supporters' Club, and principeriods of desperate defence. Of pally through his agency, Atyco course everything depended on signed amateur forms for the Billy Kelly, of Londonderry, for

Let the Chairman of Bristol cosion brilliantly in fact, one City take up the story. "I Year. But in his recent of the features of the game | travelled late one night to Warwas the manner in which Ronny minster to try and sign him as Sneyers, of Belgium, McCarthy Clayton, Jimmy Dickinson, a professional. While we were Roger Byrne and Jeff Hall talking a Portsmouth represenfollowed his instructions with talive knocked at the door. It dog-like devotion. He was like was summer and John's amateur a hen with a brood of chicks, form had expired. He at once Often the experienced Dickins n said he would come to us, and was at his beck and call for the Portsmouth man went away disappointed. Atyeo is the chief reason why we won promotion to Division Two. I am sorry he Wright, who turned up at the and Bristol Rovers' Geoff Bradafter-the-match banquet with a ford should be immediate rivals black eye told me that Mr for the England position, but I Winterbottom had given the team | sincerely think Atyeo is the

PERSONAL STORY

As for Haynes that is my per- | There is Champion Frank Johnin the game against Spain itself | sonat story. A friend of mine is | son, of Manchester, at the head If it is the scoring of goals a friend of his father, and of the list. Behind him come and victory which mattered directly after Johnny had scored Joe Lucy, of London, and then all that can be said is such a success in the England- Gordon Goodman, of Bourne-"well done", but if it is good Scotland Schoolboys' Interna- mouth. Goodman recently outfootball you want this is not the | tional at Wembley several years way to get it I shudder to ago, my friend came to me and there are Dave Charnley, also think what would have hap- said Haynes senior would like peried if Wright had been off guidance on Johany's proressional future.

As a Portsmouth man I suggested he would be happy at Fratton Park, and it was agreed that his father and my friend should go there, watch a League match, and discuss the matter with the Directors. Two tickets for them were to be left on the entrance gate. They were; but they were two unreserved geats on the wing of a stand. The crowd was big, and the pair had to stand without obtaining access to the Directors. Disappointed at their treatment and Johnny Haynes. England's they went away-and Ports-

Spain at Wembley, were two Haynes, an Edmonton (North until he retires, Then he will minnows who slipped through London) boy did not want to think about getting married, the Portsmouth net and have throw in his lot with Spurs, as Prior to that the old home at become international whales so many Edmonton lads have Stepney is more than good | a.s. Sangola yesterday for a of the HKAAF can be considered The Hampehire club could have done, so he went with his pal, enough. Apart from mother had them for the £10 signing- winger Chamberlain who was in and the six girls and Sammy on fee apiece, but now it would the Edmonton Schools team with there is Dad and two brothers.

> Today Haynes stands as England's hope as key constructive forward for years to come; Atyeo looks to be his perfect foll as the dashing snapper-up of goals, While Portsmouth are admirably served in all positions -except insideforward!

"They never come back" the oldest axiom in boxing. It means that a Champion who Revised third round matches loses cannot remove the tag regaining a title. Never is

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R. H. Pape of Tamar, A. L. Smith, J. F. Joyce, Lt. Alderton, Chan King-yin and Chan Kimhung head a star-studded field of 72 distance runners in the annual 10-Mile Road Race which starts at King George V School on Sunday at 2.30 p.m.

Pape, as a result of his fine win in the gruelling cross-country event last Saturday, is a redhot favourite to take the 10-mile event, as he is considered an even more outstanding athlete on the road, the Marathon being his specialty. Pte Joyce a newcomer to the

Colony, was prominent in the cross-country race and may give Papo a real struggle. Chan King-yin, a dangerous

opponent when it comes to road racing, should be a strong challenger if he is fit. The following are the entries.

6 C.O.D. Brittenden, Songhurst, Beech, Tilby, awson, Patchett, Cox. Chao Slu-bun, Leung Yao, Tam Sup, Chang Choy, Yuen Sun, Mok South China A.A.

Chan King-yin, Chan Hung-man, Chan Kim-hung, Au Chung-sing, Lee Kam-hung, Wong Lung-kwong, Fung Com Pape, L/PTRM Maiden, Tel. Bird, REA Kinsey, Possa Cheery,

L/Cpl Smith, L/Cpl Highton, Bdsm Stokes, Bdsm Bell, Pte Albion, Pte Berry, 2/Lt Wade.

North Staffs

134 Joyce, Pte Peat, Pte Conroy, Pte Bhenton, Pte Redshaw, Pte Lomes, Pte Meakin,
1st En Resex
Lt Burch, Lt Alderton, 2/Lt Lockstone, 2/Lt Hill, L/C Perry, Sgt

One Whittie, Set Anderson, Choi Po-sheding, Leung Sal-tak, Ma Chung-ked, Webb DS, Gine Carroll, Leung Kam-chee, 3/Lt Moxon, Pte Mak Sul-tong, Wong Ylu, Lok Munsier, Soon Stu, Randles PN, Chung Kam-fin, Hodkinson, 3/Le Brown, Cheng Kam-fin, Hodkinson, 3/Le Brown, Chang Fen-him, Kwok Sat-cheong, Rusnesy, Chang Fen-him, Kwok Sat-cheong, Rusnesy, Chang Gine Brooke, Ellis, Wong Ten-hook, Wong Mile Walk

Wong Ten-hook, Won SU, Mak Sin-tong, Respectively, Mile Walk

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George Chen, Land Singh, Mondar Singh, Mondar Singh, Mondar Singh, Man Singh, Mohinder Singh, Man Singh, Mohinder Singh, Man Singh, Mohinder Sin Day, Pte .Webbi



Triumphant Dai Dower (Wales) holds the trophy after retaining the British Empire Flyweight Championship at Harringay Arena, London, on December 6. Dower defeated South African challenger Jake Tuli on points over 15 rounds.—Reuterphoto.

Defence Force **Orders**

Serial No. 50. Orders By Colonel L. T. Ride, CBE, ED, Commandant, Boyal Hongkong Defence Force. Dated December 13, 1955.

The Hong Kong Regiment Training "B" Coy. - Monday, G. Graham, C & H Unit Fit -Li December 19, 1935. Pay Parade HV P. O. Scales. Flying Squadron -- Fg. S F T B Lever, R E. H Nelson MPG for RHQ at 5.30 p.m. Trg Pl Off. I. R. S. Robertson, Witnessing (Captain), M J Pridham, K. G. -- Monday, December 18, 1955. No Officers:-- HQ Unit -- Fit. Off. W.

Hong Kong Auxitiary Air Force held on Friday, December 16, 1965 Parade: HQ Unit — Sgt. R. E. Colat HQ RHKDF Happy Valley. Units lins, C & R Unit — Sgi. W. H. Benwill be paid individually at the foi- nett. Fig. Sqn. - Sgt. Cdt. R. Tat. lowing times;-Officers - 5.30 p.m. Senior N.C.O.s - 545 p.m. O.Rs -6 p.m. The following are detailed to report to HQ before 5,30 pm.

Malayan Indian Sportsmen Arrive

members of the Malaya Indian To avoid unnecessary investigations. sports team arrived aboard the however, the attention of all ranks is Scoter Mrs Smith; Umpire: J. series of hockey, cricket and for a Bounty unless he has complied badminton matches against some with the following minimum training of the best teams in Hongkong. requirements:—14 days Camp, 8 full days, 70 instructional hours in the The manager of the team, Mr year ending September 30, 1965. The T. Mahima Singh, J.P., arrived previous practice of substituting by air the same evening.

A' delegation from the Nav sponsoring the tour), headed accordance with the Regulations by the President, Mr B. Ditta, and comprising Messra Mohinder Singh, Bhagat Singh, and U. S. Dillon was on hand to welcome the visitors.

brought along two more badminton players as replacements.

sive. The badminton team had

The cricket team has its first "nets" at the IRC this morning, term - M.P.G. - 5.30 p.m. There is a host of better than

average hockey players in the visiting team. Alan Koelmeyer, HKAAF Hangar — 9 a.m. their fast moving right-half, has represented many of the Mala- for Commandant, R.H.K.D.F. yan States. He also played for the Federation against India in 1954 and 55.

against the Indian side.

Manmohan Singh Sodhi, who halls from Selangor State, has played big league hockey in Indian dia. He represented the Federation against the touring Indian to the Administrative of the Administrative team in 1954. He leads the at-

Gian Singh is the centre-half and captain of the team. Only 27, he is already the veteran of many a great battle. He played for Sciangor against the Indian and Pakistan teams. .The visitors open their tour

with a match against the Hongkong Regiment at Bookunpoo at 4 p.m. this afternoon,

, Paying Officers: HQ Unit -- Fit -Lt. Mohamed, C & R Unit - Fg Off. R. G. Labrum, Fig. Sqn - Fg. Off. Pay Parade. Pay Parade will be A. C. T Rowe-Evans. N. C. O. 1/c

> The Officer Commanding has ruled that attendance is compulsory The Officer Commanding has ruled that attendance is compulsory. The attention of all ranks is drawn to the instructions from Treasury whereby chits or authorities from absentees will not be accepted, unless due to sickness or absence from the Colony.

Annual Bounties. Certain personnel have been awarded a Bounty which will be paid at the forthcoming Pay Parade. No queries about Bountles should be raised at the Parade but should be made personally to the Officer I/c. Pay 'Accounts at HQ Happy Valley, on Thursday, January 12, 1950, between Twenty-nine tired, but happy the hours of 5.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. parades in order to qualify for Bounty was cancelled by Ordinanco in January, 1934. In addition, per-Bharat Hockey Club (which is sonnel must be deemed efficient in

Trade Training, Equipment Section. Saturday, December 17, 1955 -HKAAF Hangar — As detalled — 2 Pressure of work has prevented one of the hockey stars,
Philip Sankey, from making the
Philip Sankey, from making the Phil trip. However, the visitors Saturday. December 17, 1955 — As detailed — Kai Tak Tower — 12 noon (Full Day). Sunday, December 18. 1955 - As detailed - Kat Tok The hockey team went out — As detailed — SOC — 9 a.m. (Full Day). C & R
Element. Sunday. December 18, 1965
— As detailed — SOC — 9 a.m. (Full for its first practice yesterday evening, and were most impressive. The badminton team had ream — 117 SU — 10 a.m. (Full Day). Transport leaves Murray Parade Ground at 9.15 a.m. (Full Team — 117 SU — 10 a.m. (Full their first workout at the In- Day). Transport leaves Murray dian Recreation Club courts

last night.

The cricket team has its first

December 20, 1935 — Fighter Plotters — M.P.G. — 530 p.m. Tuenday,

December 27, 1935 — Fighter Plot-Flying Programme, Saturday,

December 17, 1955 — "B" Flight — HKAAF Hangar — 2 p.m. Sunday. December 18, 1955 — "A" Flight —

POs & Sgts Mess. Will all Members please note that the POs &c Then there is A. I. Thillainathan, a brilliant all-round
sportsman who was elected
"Sportsman of the Year" in
1953. He too has represented
the Federation Hockey XI
against the Indian side.

bers please note that the POS &
Sgts Mess has been reserved on
Friday, December 20, 1955 from 7.30
p.m. and on Friday, December 30,
1955 between 8.30 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Children's Party will be held on
Friday, December 23, 1955 from 2.30
p.m. to 6 p.m. at HQ Happy Valley.
In order that catering arrangements
ato may be made it is requested that

men copy can be seen on the notice boards at HQ RHKDF and Volunteer

Asian Baseball Championship

Monile, Dec. 15. Japan defeated. Nationalist China 13-0 today to clinch at least a tie for the championship of the accord Asian Baseball Tournament ot the Rital Memorial, Stadium before 5,000

Jepser now insects only one Which sluded them last year.

Week-end Teams

The following have been selected to represent their respective clubs in sports fixtures over the week-end:

HIKOC Scorpions . (Home) Army North:-I. L. Stanton, W. Pin-

Army North (Away) v 118CCC Scorpione at 1.30 p.m. to-morrow;--Scorpione at 1.30 p.m. to-morrow:—
Major Howard-Dobson, Major
Ffrench-Blake, Capt Richardson,
Capt Turwill, Lt Lipscombe, 2/Lt
Thompson, 2/Lt Foster, 8 "Igt Morris,
L/C Bar, Tpr Gree ligh, Tpr
Alcoe, 12th Man: Pte Ting,
Army North "B" (Away) v Recreto
at 1.30 p.m. to-morrow and (Home)
at Boundary St. v Navy on Sunday:—
Capt Petty, Major Owen, Capt
Witherail, 2/Lt Dew, 2/Lt Henson,
2/Lt Grimwade, CQRS Morris, Sgi
Tutt, L/C Perkins, Tpr Wise, Tpr
Mackie 12th Man: Bdr Northgreaves.

2nd XI (Home) v Army North tomorrow at 1.30 p.m.;—Dr A. M Rodrigues C. A. Yvanovich, A. A. Alonco, C. A. Guterres, Dr A. H d'Almada Remedios, C. A. d'Almada Remedios, A. P. Pereira, Jr., Marcus Souza, E J Louretro, F M. Correa. J Sequeira.

The following have been selected to represent the Indian Recreation Club against the Malayan Indian team at Sookunpoo commencing at 130 p in -Arthur Rumjahn, Mohinder Singh, George Ebert, Ador Rumjahn, R. Lolchandont, A. H. Modar, C Myatt, A. Myatt, All Khan, A 8 Rumjahn. Talkoo The following have been selected

to represent Talkoo in the annual cricket match against Wayfoong at the H K CiC Ground on Sunday. December III. Play will commence at II a.m :- T O. C Knight (Capt). N. P. Fox, D. de S. Carey, A. E. V. Brown, L. Chadwick-Rew, A. G. S. McCallum, K. G. Hall, J. P. O'Driscoll, J. Lancashire, C. J. S. Hill, C J B. Leader 12th Man D R Y Umpire D W Leach; Scorer Mrs T G C . Knight

The following have been chosen to represent the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in the annual Hong match against Butterfield & Swire on Cricket Clob ground at 11 a.m.:-M J Brombead, R W. Campbell, Rice, P D Sougham, M. G. Stone, J F G Talt. 12th Man: I Q. Brockman: Umpice. F Marshail.

Wayfoong

v Legal Profession N. C. O. Ve Parade: Sat. P. R R W Bell, D R W Alexander, D. Badham, D. G Coffey, F. Findlay, C. M. Guilford, H. Chamberlain, R. Hall, R. Ho, R. C. Jenner, C. Mc-Res D. Ball, Umpire: B. C. N.

Carnell, Scorer: Mrs H Chamber-.30 p.m.;-C S. Ramage, N. Hart Baker, L. G. Dally, A. J. Catley, Dickinson, R. G. Heron, K. Lo. J Marshall, G Webster, N. Oel.

Man and Umpire: J. C. Fenton: Scorer: Mrs Catley. Waspa (Away) v Army South:-E C. Fincher, C. Eather, F. W. Arnold, H. S. Wyatt, S. B. Marshall, S. D. Gordon, R. F. Apps, J. A. A. Smith J. Ourr. W. H. Pepperell, Reserves; A P Goudy & E. Ho;

FOOTBALL lat Division v Navy at the Navy ground Causeway Bay to-morrow, kick-off at 3.30 pm.: - Jones, Planck, Bishop, Douglas, Armstrong, Pickering, Tomilnson, Phayer, Neal, Manns, McCall. 2nd Division v Jardines at Cause-

way Bay kick-off at 2 p.m.;-Franks, Reynolds, Mackie, Warner, Philips, Dignan, Beattle, Martin, Bradbury, Wake. Miller. Reserves: White, Philips and

Diary

TODAY Hockey Malayan Indians v H.K. Regt (Skp) 4 p.m.; Kuala Lumpur Tech v HKU (Poktularn) 4 p.m.

TOMORROW Cricket IRC v Malayan Indians at Sookunpoo at 1.30 p.m. 2nd Division: Army "South" v KCC "B"; DBS v KGV; RAF v University "B"; Recreto v Army "N"; University "A" v Police. Cold Wave

RAF Mainland v RAF Island (Kai Tak) 3 p.m.; 48 Bde v Police (Kai Tak) at 4.15 p.m.; Gunners v 27 Bde (B.S.) 2.30 p.m.; HK and Kin Garrison v Navy (B.S.) 3.43 p.m.; Club "A" v Club "B" (H.V.) 4.30

Ladies' League: KGV "B" V
Dorians "B" (B.S.) 2.15 p.m.;
Gremlin Kings v Recreio (B.S.)

f p.m.; Victorians v Services
(H.V.) 2.39 p.m.; KGV "A" v
Craigengower (H.V.) 4 p.m.
Friendly match: Combined Services
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INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS BEING RESTORED IN ARGENTINE

Buenos Aires, Dec. 15. The rights of the individual are being gradually restored in Argentina through the elimination of restricting laws.

One stride towards the restoration of personal freedom was taken with the repeal, by the Provisional Government led by General Pedro Eugenio Aramburu, two months after the fall of the former President Peron, of a ten-year-old decree to prevent "crimes against the security of the state.'

This decree was used by went, but one day her father General Peron as the main vanished from home and has weapon to silence opposition, it never been heard of since. was issued in January 1945 by Lawyers believe that he is imthe pro-fascist President General prisoned, on forged charges, in Edelenico Farrell and was some isolated prison in the countersigned by General Peron interior of Argentina as a comas Minister of War mon criminal.

Taken at its face value, it outmwed practically every in- wards robuilding an indopendividual right which the Con- dent judiciary bystem has been stitution guaranteed, from the the separation of the Ministry of sublication of news and views the Interior (which is in charge to the freedom to strike.

Internal War

Soon after its publication, the Supreme Court declared it unconstitutional and for nearly former commercial employees two years it was shelved, until the first Perenista Congress made charge. A few weeks after the it law and the Peronista judges

Combined with the provisions of the "state of Internal war" enacted by law following the f ustrated anti-Peronista coup of 1951, there was almost no limitation to the powers of the state and the police. Peron's apponents were imprisoned for years without redress. No writ of habous corpus was taken into consideration by the courts. The voice of the opposition was silenced. Public meetings were banned. Newspapers were closed down.

Later, a third law, the "law officials above criticism, was in the meantime, coercive fortnightly economic review. added to the list, making the Peronista state immune in the face of any possible political attack. The law of contempt has now also been repealed by a the Provisional decree of Government,

In the Courts, work has been accumulating because Courts were closed for over a month while all the Peronista Beiston in the said County of Hidges were removed and replaced by men who had not been contaminated by Peronista methods and procedure.

> In addition to routine suits, civil and criminal cases have been accumulating against former Peronista leaders and officials. These cases have been presented both by private individuals and by some 300 Government investigating committees which are painstakingly building up evidence against former Ministers, legislators, Governors and party leaders.

Extortion

It is expected to be many months yet before the judicial maze is sorted out and the court machinery is running on smooth basis again.

Unusual cases baffling the udges include, for instance, that of the police purging itself. The Federal Police under its new chief, Navy Captain Luis Maria Dellepione, has storted a thorough screening of its combefore date of publication. manding officers and men in

> Some of them were found to have embezzied public funds, others to have made big fortunes through bribery and extortion. No less than 40 are under arrest on charges of having tortured prisoners. In some cases, the torture resulted in the death of the victim.

Writs of habens corpus on behalf of people who disappeared under the Peronista regime are still being presented to court. One concerns the father of a 19-year-old girl known as "Juanita" (her family name has not been revealed) whom officials of the Peronista Presidential Residence tried to lure there, Juanita caught General Peron's eye at a students' meeting.

Major Step

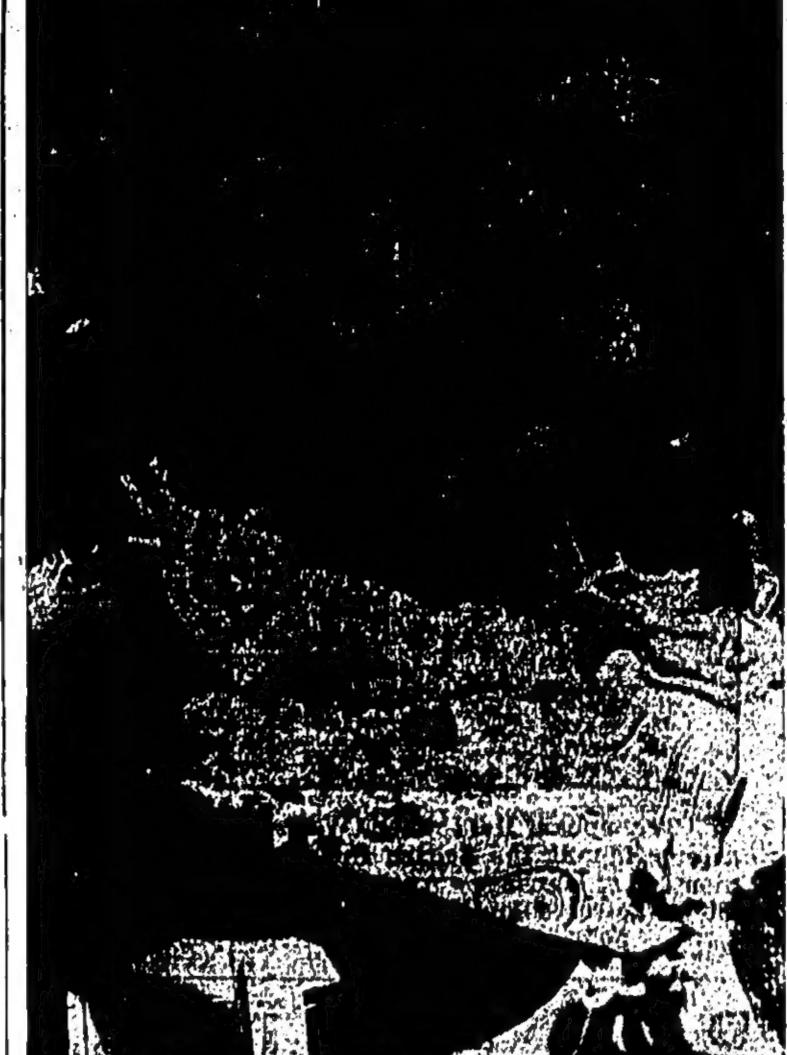
Officials called three times at her house inviting her to go to the President's residence. Once they left a crocodile wallet conbaining 500 peros. Jumita never

DESTINY CHEATS WIDOW

Madrid, Dec. 15. Maria da Gloria Quaresma, a widow whose 72 years were spent in poverty, was killed by a train after she had inherited a fortune of

several million escudos.

The money was left by the widow's two brothers in Brazil, but did not reach Portugal in time to give her a taste, of riches.—Chine Mail Special.



WARNING NEHRU ON AID

New Delhi, Dec. 15. Indian Premier Jawaharlai Nehru has warned India not to count too much on foreign aid for the country's second five fast scrapped through decree- years plan.

Premier Nehru gave the warning in a speech to the The view is gathering strength Indian Congress Party's parliahere each day that the Con- mentary group on December 5. atitution itself must be revised. | quoted today in the Party's The review quoted Mr Nehru regulations are being disregarded by Judges who, in this difficult as saying that, in view of events period of transition, are follow- taking place in the outside ing the dictates of goodwill and world at the present time, common sense rather than the would not be advisable for outdated forms of a dictatorial India to seek foreign aid.

Christmas approaches the national interest tends to focus on chlokens, turkeys and geese. Unfortunately these delicious creatures are individually covered with what seem like a million feathersas any housewife who has had the job of plucking them preparatory to popping them into the Yuletide oven will tell you. Hints on how to do the job professionally were obtained by these two young visitors to last week's National Poultry Show London, where young farmers from all over Britain competed in plucking and trussing contests. Trying their hands out on the feathery chore are London girls Miss Pepi Corelli and Miss Judy Burrows.

BRITISH

United Nations, Dec. 15. With new members voting for the first time, the United Nations General Assembly today approved the Trusteeship Committee's recommendations for a plebiseite in British Togoland to determine the territory's future. The vote was 42 to 7 with 11 abstentions.

Two new Communist membors. Hungary and Rumania, voted with the bloo of the Soviet Union, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Byelo-Russia and the Ukraine. Among other new members easting their first vote, Spain voted for the preporal, abstained.

The Indian delegate, Mr V. K. Khrishna Menon, said India "has no reservations whatsoever in paying our tribute to the the United Kingdom for bringing the trusteeship policy to its fulfilment. We believe that by this not only will the trust territory of dependence but an exemple will independence more speedily."

The 'Assembly also confirmed election of Eduardo Espinosa a Belgium, with the issue de- plies by icebreaker through Prieto of Mexico as Pichiscite Commissioner for Togoland, He was Mexico's delegate in the Trusteeship Committee during the debate on the Togoland question.-United Press.

Resettlement Of Jews

New York, Dec. 15. An emergency migration programme costing \$3,760,000 was adopted tonight by the American Joint Distribution Committee to provide transport and resettlement for some 45,000 North African Jews next year

in Israel. The migration programme of the record \$29,200,000 budget approved by the AJDC's annual meeting continental defence. It is usual-The \$4.000,000 more than in 1955- Fence, since the radar interwill provide assistance next ception methods and devices year to more than 200,000 needy were largely worked out at Mcpersons in 25 countries in Gill University, Montreal. Europe, North Africa and the Middle East, including Israel. Warning line across the most United Press.

Joint US-Canadian Air Defence System PLANS OUTLINED

Ottawa, Dec. 15.

While details of the joint Canada-United States defence system with its four air interception and radar lines naturally kept secret for security reasons, the new Canadian Minister of Defence, Mr Ralph Campney, has lately outlined their and Portugal, Jordan and Libya general nature more clearly to promote undertanding at home and abroad.

Official Ottawa is anxious Canada's North Atlantic Treaty partners should understand that heavy defence expenditure this continent resolution and by the plebische contribution to the security of the Atlantic Treaty powers in Europe.

> For the defence of Canada, North America. cided, perhaps, in the air over Arctic seas. the lowlands of northern Canada. In such a war, a stood, are extensions down both knockout blow at Pittsburg or flanks of the continent, to prethe Sault Sie Marie cannis vent outflanking of the transcould be crippling to the whole continental networks by hostile Atlantic community.

Main Elements

As described by Mr Campney, there are four main elements in the integrated continental and was becoming operational air defence system, not merely in 1953 when foint United three as commonly understood. States-Canadian defence plantying into the Canadian-US of mid-Canada and Distant air defence commands a basic Early Warning lines to the radar warning and control north. system. This, located in the southerly area not too distant from the border, links up the Canada line for which this air interceptor forces of both Dominion is responsible, milicountries.

 2. The mid-Canada line. further north, which is Canada's lown special contribution to budget - some ly known here as the McGill

 3. The Distant Early northerly practicable part

peoples of Africa will emerge to Canadian troops have fought in especial care of the United the Low Countries of Europe States, though Canada has conin two world wars. In a third, tributed greatly to flying unanimously the Committee's Canada herself might become materials in and shipping sup-

• 4. Less generally under aircraft, either on the Pacific or Atlantic side.

Proceeding Fast

Pinetree was tackled first • 14 The Pinetree System, ners recommended the addition

In his most recent survey. Mr Campney stressed the midtarily and financially. It follows roughly the 55th parallel of intitude.

Work is proceeding fast and dollars (about £60,000,000) will be required to get the basic elements of the radar screen into operation. At first, over 1,200 men were employed on the spot, with thousands of others being added in the workshops of electronic and other industrial.

plants across the country, The line consists of a series of unit detection and warning stations with main stations at intervals between the Labrador coast, through the Hudson Bay area, to the Panhandle of Alaska.

Intense Cold

Royal Canadian Air Force and civilian aircraft carried out miles of aerial Bell Tele-The photography. phone Company was designated management contractor for the project. Since much of the area consists of muskeg bogs, building materials are being taken north in winter by tractor trains with powenful diesels each pulling twelve "wannigans," giant freight sleds.

On the rock foundation of the Pre-Cambrian shield, it is comparatively easy to erect concrete structures, but where topsoil is deep special problems arise, due to alternate thawing and freezing. There, piles have to be sunk into holes made deep into the permafrost by high pressure steam jets. Rader towers, to withstand intense cold, must be fitted with special de-icing equipment. Building in the

raises problems described by

sub-Arctic

Mr Campnoy as "of a less technical nature." For example, one work party in the Hudson Bay area this summer was held. up by the presence of large numbers of flerce Polar bears." Some idea of the speed with which the mid-Canada line is being pushed shead is indicated by dollar figures. Last June, only 36,000,000 dollars (over £23,000,000) had been spent. By August, contracts worth over 90,000,000 dollars (over £80,-000,000) had been let, while by the end of the year Mr Campnoy estimates that the figure, which is already over the 100,000,000 dollar mark, will

have increased still further. Race Against Ice

As for the Distant Early Warning line, Canada has already flown in 17,000 tons of equipment for this project undertaken and mainly financed by the United States. In addition, Canadian ico-

breakers and northern supply

vessels took part in an extraordinary face against ice during
the brief Arctic summer to deliver 500,000 tons of cargo to
the far north by sea. Captain
O.C.B. Robertson, RCN, commanding the Labrador patrol vessel, manocuvred his ships round the ice in lower Foxe Basin to reach sites on the remote Melville peninsula.

Replying to critice who suggest that Canada should allow the United States to assume the responsibility and the cost of northern defence. Mr Campney replied: The project is for the defence of both countries and indeed for the defence of the North Atlantic Trusty Organization, just as much as smything being done in Rosch and the Campney that we work the Campney that the cost of the Campney of the Campney of the Campney replied. The project is for the defence of the Campney replied for the defence of the Campney of the Campney replied for the defence of the Campney of the Campney replied for the defence of the Campney of the Campney replied for the defence of the Campney of the Campney replied for the defence of the defence of the Campney replied for the defence of the

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France-Presse.



One of the major steps to-

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Two years ago, General Peron

fused those two Ministries and

put Angel Gabriel Borlenghi, a

union leader, now in exile, in

new Argentine administration

took over, the two departments

Long Task

With no Congress to legislate

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the principles of democracy or

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laws. But this is a long task.

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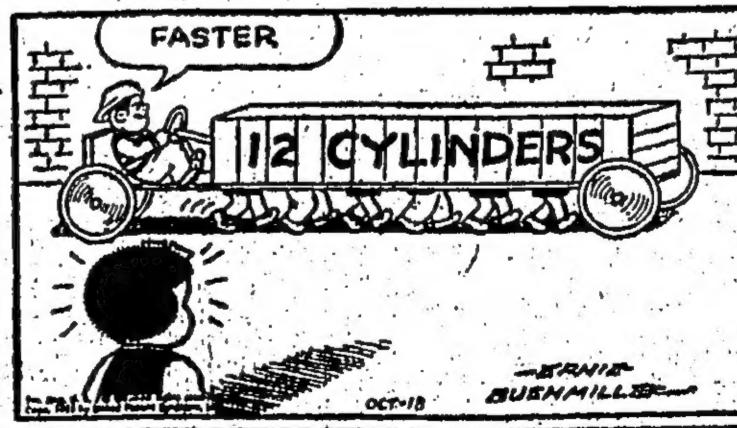
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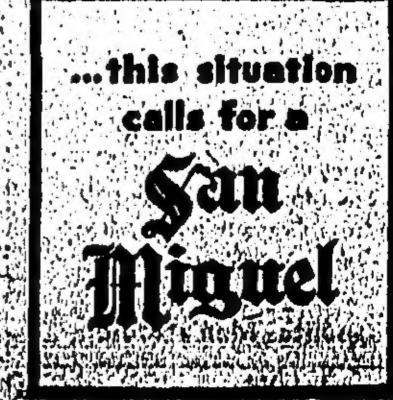
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SHARE PRICES CLOSE HIGHER TODAY'S

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tock Marden shares. The fact

a that Wheelocks-possibly be-

cause they are in a lower price

pracket than shares like Lights,

Electrics, Telephones and even

Providents—are probably more

widely held than any other in

I said last week Mr Marden's

remarks at the annual meeting

should shed some light on the

er moany's operations in the first

He disclosed that the figure

for "Shipping loans: Japan"

which has been "reconstituted

The company has also received.

One comment here: the word

"loans", which has been used

frequently in this column and

indeed in the company's own

Un To Date

Also under current assets:

mentioned last week the figure

for "Shipping loans: Hongkong"

\$4,879,453 in the balance sheet.

Mr Marden revealed that this

figure which represents new

business has, since the close of

the year, increased by \$12,150,000

was 1111 from \$1,344,287

to a total of \$17 million.

In fact, they are

\$2 million in interest.

Turnovers Still Small In Quiet Trading Conditions

OPTIMISM

By A Special Correspondent

A general shortage of scrip at buyers' rates caused a slight hardening of prices on the share market on Wednesday and yesterday. The market closed the week on a firm note and there appeared to be

an improved undertone. Trading conditions have been generally quiet. The turnover amounted to just over \$3 million compared with \$3.4 million last week and \$2.6 million the week before that.

is i, ther disappointing. On one light improvement in prices apologise to those readers who week the turnover topped the prach of the dyldend season ordinately large portion of this \$1 million mark and it was with share yields showing quite hoped that this was an indication in attractive return at current of growing interest.

The best daily turnoves this wick was \$790,000. A leading broker said yesterday "The market still

WORLD COTTON **MARKETS**

New York, Dec. 15. changes accompanied a slow the last instalment of the since the close of the financial numerous wide gains in special

cautiously pending Washington its clients that it will lend a developments on the export maximum of 30 per cent against

Toward the close the trading lending up to 50 per cent. pace quickened when brokers with mill connection were ac-

months. higher. New Orleans closed up 30 or 40 people received these 13 to 21 points.

Extra-heavy entries under the government loan programme, and the sustained broadscale demand for textiles. were stabilising factors and accounted for relatively more would have to liquidate reason to hope that prompt support in the nearby months, substantial stare holdings to payments would continue.

pain right after the new year, hear to have happened.

Credit Corporation, partment of Agriculture will re- active market. serve the right to reject bids it | But to return to this week's considers unsatisfactory. Un- market. Docks, which have confirmed reports indicated re- been spectacular for the last jection niight be made if the three weeks over the renorted bid goes more than six cents sale of cempany land at Hungunder the current loan value.

government lean for the week about \$1 lower than their high ended Dec. 9 totalled 503,882 of \$301/4. bules, marking the second time this season the weekly im- Wharves are also lower at \$69 pruntings topped the half-mil- and they have lost \$8 in the Hon bale mark. Net stock of last fortnight. This again is 1955 crop cotton in govern- possibly profit-taking after their ment hands totalled 4,332,534 recent rise. You will notice Marden had this to say: "The

The cer'ificated stock in- this article that they rose \$5 both freight markets and tonerr soi 1,142 to 17,680 bales.

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New Optimism

And among other brokers there was new optimism about a the market. gradual recovery in prices in the new year. They stress, however, it will be a slow move-

The chief basis for their eight months of this year. And optimism is that Chinese banks here are the relevant statewith slightly more liberal credit | ments: facilities then the Big Three Brillsh banks may provide some of the capital for expanded share investment.

credit restrictions. This, you down to just over \$35 million. will remember, came in Buyers and sellers operated form of a reminder to some of programmes and farm legisla-|share securities whereas in the past it had been in the habit of

At the time of this new balance sheet, is not really credited buyers of around squeeze I reported that only "a correct. 10,000 bales in the nearby comparatively small number" | mounts cwing to the company would be affected by this. I for ships bought by various in-Closing on a rally, the list since learn from fairly reliable terests in Japan. finished not 19 to 23 points sources that actually only about

Faith And Hope

"reminders".

the time, some 'e date. Also Mr Marden inbrokers fenred that several dicated that he had every Anticipating commencement relieve their overdrafts to the of the government export cam- new level. This does not up-

when around 1,000,000 bales are | So faith and hope - have expected to be sold at com- been restored somewhat. That petitive prices, dealers wender- plus the fact that share yields ed what level of bids would be are now more attractive than acceptable to the Commodity they have been for the whole of this year give them reason to Traders understood the De- hope that 1956 may see a more

hem, lost ground on profit-Producer entries under the taking and at the close were

Hengkong and Kowloon from the panel accompanying improvement has continued and between Nov. 24 and Dec. 1. , nage values may be confidently Volume and open interest | China Providents are 20 cents termed strong at the moment. better on the week at \$14.70. 10 This has favourably affected the cents of which they gained position of our debtors and we

yesterday. Trade Figures Up

Wharf shares may be enjoy- "(this) appears again in coning a little more interest in the siderable size and provided now year if the trade figures funds for the financing of our continue to rise. Those released associates and was otherwise last night show there has been required owing to the increases h rise in the value of the tempo of our business. I told Colony's trade for the fourth you last year when pointing out consecutive month. In July, an increase in liquidity that the total trade was valued at \$460.7 scale of our operations is such million. In November it was that no great significance ought valued at \$586.9 million-or to have been attached to it." \$48.9 million more than in

October. In the Utility section, Trams and Lights have had the best of the, gains this week while Elecries and Telephones have made approinted that the report on fractional improvements. Yau- 1935-56 operations is not as matis have lost further ground anectacular or as detailed as and are now back to the level they could have wished (or, of Nov. 17 at \$101.

Lands, Coments and Dairy hope) they may chide the chair-Farms are also slightly better man for his reticence but they this week and in the "gilt" cannot deny that his remarks do section, Banks and Unions are provide a certain amount of paucity of scrip.

Rubber shares have been dull view. and closed fractionally lower in aymonthy with the slight dooline in the price of raw rubber in Singapore. This just about completes the

market review. Wheelock Meeting

the back page.

cents. Sales totalled 38,705 Bales. the Wheelesk meeting which is gave a friend of Mine recently few York Control of New Orleans prices were reported in greater detail on And it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and it is what I would do too Circ Methleson and I wanted the control of th

* The Share Market At A Glance *

Share	Nov 24	Dec I	Dec 8	Dec 15	down
HK Bank	1685		1680	1690	+\$10.
Unions	915	915	915m	915b	stondy
HR Wharf	-	72	716 .	69	-\$2
Wheelooks		8.30xd	B.15	8.15	stendy
Providents		14.50	14.50	14.70	+800
HK Docks	200 00	27.80	29.70	29.20	-100
Hotel		17.10	17.30	17.40	+100
Land	6034	60	5914	60360	
Tram	40.00	22.60	22.30	22.80	+500
Yanmati	201	102	102	101	-31
Lights (o)	00.00	22.20	21.40xd	21.70	+300
,, (n)	40.00		16mxd	16	steady
Electric	3914	3934	3934	3934	+250
Telephone	2011	8104	22	3214	+250
Cements	8414	3394	34	8414	-1-500
Dairy Farm	-0.00		18.30	1814	-20c
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New York Stocks Down Again

New York, Dec. 15. Stocks turned in their fifth decline today

without any real pressure. The selling seemed designed to uncover a level at which new demand would appear for issues that had been marked up sharply in last week's climb to new highs in the industrial average.

Widest declines were in Pacific Gas & Elec. in respect of certain changes in [They are also inclined now to our debtor clients" has been re- issues where profit-taking was Narrowly irregular price take a more senguine view of duced by a further \$2,500,000 in order and there were Hongkong and Shanghai Bank's year. This brings the figure Issues. Trading lightened, d.upping to 2,260,000 shares from 2,670,000, the smallest total since November 25.

> Industrials closed 0.12 lower on average, with American Tobacco, off 11/4 Bethlehem Steel 1%. Texas Co. %.

> Rails lost 0.42, with a 2 points drop in Union Pacific weighing heavily.

> Of a total 1.142 issues traded there were 517 lower on the day, 394 higher. Houston Oil gained more than

points in the oils. And the payments, according Among high-priced issues, US to the terms of the various sale Gypsum fell 5 to 15, Superior contracts are at present up Oil of California 30 to 970. New York Stock Exchange bond volume was \$3,682.000. American Stock Exchange volume was 850,000 shares. Dow-Jones closing averages

30 industrials 480,72 170.73 Woolworth -United Press. Comm. future price index .. 98,14 151,77 Meody's index 404.40

Closing Prices

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١		Alden Inc. Acy.	2314
ı	Freight Rates	Allied Chemicals	11236
ı		Allis Chalmers	6514
1		American Airline	2456
1	Shareholders who are a little	American Cyanamide Co	0435
		Am. Mach. & F dry	25
	anxious of the situation in Japan	Americin Metal	5035
	-although one cannot help but	American Smelting	4036
	feel that their fears are entirely	Am. Sugar Ref	0714
	hypothetical at the moment-	American Tel & Tel	17875 80%
		American Tob. 'B"	80%
	will be doubtless relieved to see	Anaconda Copper	71%
	that this addition has been	Armeo Steel	5456
	made to the Hongkong figure.	Armour	18
		Baldwin-Lima-Ham.	14
	On the freight market, Mr	Pattimore & Chio	40%
	Marden had this to say: "The	Bendix Aviation Corp.	176
	improvement has continued and	Bethlehem Steel	1023
		Treetes Ateniana	7216
	both freight markets and ton-	Borden (The) Co	64
	nage values may be confidently	Purrough Add Machine	31
	termed strong at the moment.	Canadian Pacific R	3316
	This has favourably affected the	Cese (J. I.) Co	18
	position of our debtors and we	CI.T. Financial Corp.	4435
	are now in most cases receiv-	Cat. Tractor	5836
		Colanese Corp. Chrysler Motors	20 2016
	ing large remittances as a re-	Colgate-Palmotive Co.	SALL
	sult of improved fixtures."	Commercial Crest	5016 4016 4116
		Commonwealth Elec.	4114
	On the Bank overdraft:	Consolidated Edison	47
	"(this) appears again in con-	Continental Oil of Del	301
	siderable size and provided	Continental Steel	395
	funds for the financing of our	Corn Products	273)
	associates and was otherwise	Crown Zellerbach	3616 55
		Cuban Amer. Sugar	16
	required owing to the increased	Curtie Wright	28%
	tempo of our business. I told	Diamond Alkali	48
	you last year when pointing out	Dow Chemicals	061h
	an increase in liquidity that the	Dupont de Nemours	320
	scale of our operations is such	Fi Preo National Gas	46%
	that no great significance ought	Krie Railroad	2134
	to bour been attached to the	Family Finance Corp	2416
	to have been attached to it."	Ceneral Flectric	
		Genaral Foods	83% 97%
ĺ	Satisfaction	General Motors	47
		Cen. Pub. Util	27
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closed to	day 2	point	high	er to
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FATTER CO.				

Domestic No. 6 sugar closed unchanged to I higher with sales of three contracts.

Activity and firmness in world contracts was associated with the recent resumption of Russian buying of Cubans on a Dec. substantial scale, traders said. Also, traders thought the International Sugar Council might No. 2 further cut world export quotas No. 3 rubber per lb. in January. Futures:

March 3.19 No. 1 pale crepe May September Spot (cents per lb. fob Caba) 3.19 Contract No. 6 5.23 No. 1 The spot 30%-36% May 5.39 Settlement house term; 36%:36% September 5.8 Feb. November Spot (cents per lb, cif NY

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Market London, Dec. 15. Government warnings of a credit squeeze and wor-

SHARE

PRICES

(From Our Correspondent)

kong Stock Exchange

morning's transactions:

HK Bank ... 4005

Waterboat DOCKS, ETC.

HK Hotel

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A. Rumber 1.65 1.90 Trust 265

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STORES, ETC. 34% 35%

Textiles 8.70 8.90 MIBCELLANEOUS

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WORLD

RUBBER

MARKETS

Rubber tutures today closed

20 points lower to 50 points

higher with sales of 173 con-

Trade interests and commis-

sion houses were on both sides

of the market. Reportedly,

speculative longs sold nearby

March against purchases of

Liter months. Dealer switching

of contracts also accounted for

of rumours that the govern-

ment had decided not to sell

the institute, because all bias

were considered unsatisfactory.

The synthetic rubber unia

involved, all toge-her three,

have an estimated combined annual production capacity of

In the spot market, routine fac-

tory buying developed along with

a gealer demand. Reported sales

included February one sheets

at 43% cents; May one sheets

at 40 cents and March one

shoets at 48% cents a pound.

Spot No. Res were quoted at

March 44.00-03

SINGAPORE

liquidation.

rubber per lb.

Blanket crepe 98-100

:The market was quiet with

spot quoted unchanged at 36%

Jan JMar. 3614-3616 Apr June 3414-3416

General markets, clr baris, perts:

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AMBIERDAM

The market was easy. Prices

No. 1 rubber 3.55 paid
No. 3 rubber 3.51 nom.
No. 3 rubber 3.65 nom.
No. 1 crepe 3.65 nom.
— United Press.

closed today in guilders per

kilogram, clf January as follows:

The market was easier on

Future

38.75-00

September 37.10

Traders awaited confirmation

some of the business.

120,000 tons.

48 cents.

December

closings were:

No. 1 rubber per lb.

No. 4 rubber per lb.

pence. Prices:

Apr./June

Fulures:

New York, Dec. 16.

Union 913 Lombard 53

BANKS

BHIPPING

Business done on the Hong-

quotations and

rice over a possible decline Bri in gold reserves brought a Con note of uncertainty into Fra trading on the London Fra Stock Exchange today, Hor Many sections closed

London Stock

Industrials attracted little support, and finished with a good number of fractional morning amounted to \$280,000. Unilever. Woolworths, Courtoulds all skidded about a SHARES DUYERS SELLERS SALES

> Steels opened strongly on good production reports. Then they faltered. A late recovery managed to give several leaders gain of a shilling or more.

Oils were mixed on limited dealings. Royal Dutch fell more than £1. Burma and British Petroleum were other losers, but Canadian Eagle went ahead 1715 17.60 on buying support.

British Government stocks ndvanced at the opening, then eased to yesterday's closing levels. A few issues showed Y'mati Ferry 103 100 200 @ 102 gains of around & 1/8.

Gold shares weakened after were duli.

In the foreign section, German Potash bonds continued their of around £3. Japanese were . 1814 13.20 13.40 500 @ 13.30

Singapore Stock Market

Brokers today quoted the fol-lowing stock prices:

lowing stock prices:	
	pening
Batu Lintaria Rubber Co.	
Date Distant	\$1,65
Ltd. British Borneo Petroleum	
Blillin Doiling Ferrage	43/0d
Syndicate Tin Smelters	
Councildated Att Stuntent	30/-
Ord. Frager & Neave Ltd. Ord	\$1.70
Frater & Neave Lid. Ord.	\$1.10
Frurer & Neave 754 cum.	
pref	66.00
Pref Hongkong & Shanghai Bank-	***
ing Corp.	\$800
ing Corp.	0/-
Kempas Ltd.	82,12
Lunas Rubber Estates Ltd	\$3,701
Malayan Breweries	\$3.37
New Berandah Rubber Co.	
Ltd.	\$1,55
Manager Prime Tool	84.42
Petaling Tin Ltd.	\$2.351
Raffice Hotel	61.60
Bingapore Cold Storage	41.00
South British Insurance Co.	****
Ltd	\$27.50
Straits Trading ,	\$25,25
Straits Steamship	\$13.10
United Engineers Ord	\$10.10
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London Foreign Exchange

		London, Dec. 13.
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Amsterdam		10.6236-10.5236
Brussels		138,62\6-139.85
Frankfurt .		11.74-11.74%
Lisbon		80.05-80.10
Milan		1761-1763
Paris		98314-98376
Blockholm		14.5214=14.0214
Zurich		12,2316-12,2396
Others were	unch	hanged
		tinited Draws

a firm opening, and coppers New York Foreign Exchange

New York, Dec. 15. recent sprint, tacking on gains England-official \$2,80% 30-day futures

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Appointments

Mr H.E. Marriott has been

appointed Acting Controller of

Posts during the absence of Mr

Hogarth, it was announced in

Assistant Controller of Posts has

been illled by Mr Goh Kong-

hool, the Superintendent of

Mr Marriott's position as

Other Government appoint-

ments in the Gazette were: Miss

M. Hearson, Senior Education

Officer (Woman), has resumed

her duties vice Miss E. S

Lucken: Dr Raymond Wang

Sheng-wu to be Medical Officer

It was also notified that Mr

W. H. E. Colledge, Chief Pre-

ventive Officer, has resumed his

General, has resumed his duties,

Postmaster-General). Mr C. G.

vice Mr E, N. Ponsford, it was

Radio Hongkong

8 p.m. Time Signal and Pro-

Eaton, Alina Cogan.

REDIFFUSION

House-by Charles Dickens; 4, Tea

For Two-Popular Songs: 4.30,

Sammy Kaye Show-Swing and

Sway With Sammy Kaye and The

Kaydets: 4.45, Dossier On Dumet-

Parade-Latest Releases Received by

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Mr L. C. Saville, Postmuster-

duties vice Mr D. H. Knox.

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the Government Gazette today.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1955.

HOUSING REPORT

Submits Recommendations To Govt

An official Press release this morning states that the Civic Association has studied the 1954-1955 Annual Report of the Hongkong Housing Authority and is disturbed to note that due to financial uncertainty the Authority is hampered, not only in its planning for the future, but also in its detailed planning of current projects. In this connection, the Report states as follows:

"A sum of \$50,000,000 has been set aside by Government for the Housing Authority, but its current commitments will account for more than half this sum and it is not known what funds will be made available for this purpose in future years. This financial uncertainty has hampered the Authority in its detailed planning of current projects -- the proportion of overhead administrative charges, for instance, that should be set off against future schemes cannot be calculated with any certainty- and it has made any long-term housing plans impossible."

The Report expressed the view (b) That Government should Conditions in Hongkong may not would be barely sufficient to deal the population without taking any account of the existing need As regards the existing lack of that apart from the natural increase in the population and the squatter resettlement programme, there are 350,060 people living in tenements

who should be rehoused The staggering figures given in the Report illustrate the gravity of the housing problem Let us examine what Government is doing about it To eatch up with the current birto-rate, the Authority says that is abougld aim at a target of 10,000 flats a year, requiring 40 acres of the of area wood torresponse attitudade. What funds have the Authority received to date \$30 million. How are these funds being used? So far, the Authority has announced that 2,000 hats to accommodate the equivalent of 16 000 minits in child under 12 years of age being counted as half built & Java Road, North Point, and another 640 flats to accommodate the equivalent of 4,500 adults will be constructed at Codogan Street. Kennedy Town.

WAY BEHIND

Only one block of the Java Road estate will be ready at the end of land, permitting the equivalent of 6,000-7,000 adults to be accommodated. The Cadogan Street sile will not be ready for occupation until late 1957. The cost of these two projects is around \$30,000,000 and will house the equivalent of 20,550 adults. If it is borne in mind that there will be a net increase in the number of births amounting to 120,000 during 1996 and 1997. H ta obvious that the Authority's plans are way behind even in catching up

Then there is the question of the 350,000 people in existing tenements who should be rehoused. Has Government announced any sluin clearance scheme yet? None whatsoever In the light of these stack facts, the Civic Association now puts forward the following recommendations: for consideration in Government

and by the public (1) That Government should carmark \$300 million for the Housing hope that by providing good ac-Authority over the next 5 years, to be used at the rate of \$60 million horrowed annually by the Housing Authority and repaid to Government to 15 annual instalments (2) The \$300 million should be

tuised in the course of the next of rents. live years as follows. \$100 nullion to be appropriated from the Colony's reserves, \$100 nation to be borrowed from local banks, insurance companies and inbe borrowed from the United Kingdom Government or other sources: the overall rate of interest should

be 5% to Make, or less if possible CO-OPERATIVES

within a period of 10 to 15 years. Such schemes are particularly suitable for our much neglected white- each year by the Authority and by

That the organisation of the Housing Authority be gradually expanded to the point when it can build a minimum of 6000 flats an- leadjust its proposed level of rentals nually to accommodate between so that it will have a closer relation

40,000 to 45,000 adults.

that if the housing problem is to be adopt more positive measures in at- be conducive to the building of the attacked on a realistic scale 'the tacking the problem of slum clear- 'welfare state", but the least we Authority mould aun at a target of sace, and that loans be made avail- can do is to provide more decent at least 10,000 thats a year, that note for this purpose. The present homes for those who work and live economic expansion of Hougkong here permanently. This makes for relies to a very great extent on in- greater stability and faith in the quatrial progress and therefore future of liongkong. pratury attention should to the accommodation of industrial workers, most of whom are living

(6) That towerment should more actively encourage large commercial and maustrial turns to provide housing for their employees, ment maint by way of providing sites.

UNREALISTIC

rentals amounced by the lineaug Lauventt Bond estates as being bullet coulty teathers. The tottons taling tion had per month, excusuate litter, for a that to accommodate 4 /4 materia to a \$100 list to accommunity the naute back flat to nect. continued, with niving room, onleany, RILLIED, Invatory and shower, We understant thee testas have been nace as as to permit tenants to spend on tout not more ween one-seventh of their monthly income. This no doubt meste the stanuards into down by the international rederation or Bousing & Town Planning and the Singapore Improvement Trust. The Civic Association is of the opinion that while use Authority's long-range plans should aim to provide accommodation within these standards, existing encumbances in hongkong make the scale of rentals proposed by the Housing Authority completely un-

clare of citizens will be created in seine that there will be numbered of thousands of other citizens who will have to wait for a very long time before most of vice Mr A. G. Crook (Deputy them will be able to obtain accomterms Secondly, the Housing Authority does not have unnimited tunes and it is obvious that the | Deputy Postmaster-General. target the income from reptair, the more funds the Authority will have at it composed to continue expanding its mustere programme. The poncy of the Authority is supposed to be the provision of flatat an low a rent as possible in the

commentation on a large sense the nuthority is unable to build hats on a summerally large scale to signiheating innuence the general level

OPPOSITE EFFECT (Studio): 0.30. Popularity Poll presented by Jean (Studio). Predict the Authority will certainly not win \$30; 0.59. Weather Report: loose the braking system comencourage the building of similar 7, Time Signal and the News (Lontypes of flats by private capital, but will have just the opposite effect. (London Relay) or Special An- screen covered with dust and Private capital, would feel that it nouncements; 7.15, Jazz Half Hour dirt so much so that the windcould not build state of similar type presented by Robert Acheson screen had to be cleaned before and obtain a fair return on investment in a reasonable period of time. Here (Pre-Christmas Edition). Dick The only real solution to the Bentley and Jimmy Edwards, with problem is the building of the meximum number of hais annually, both by the Authority and by prifrom America by Alistair families will own their flats, in co- vute capital. The general level of (London Relay); 9, Time Signal. Music Lovers Hour-Classical Rerentais with be affected not so much by the scale of rents charged on its quests presented by Alleen Dekker own estates by the Authority, but (Recorded); 10, Continental Cabaret presented by Denise Brabant by the total number of flats built presented Studio): 10.30, Virtuoso. private capital for rental to the Book. "Uncle Silas" by Sheridan Le Fanu. Read by Cynthia Nixon. lower income groups. The Civic Association neks that the Housing Authority Weather Report; 11, Time Signal Radio Newsreel (Recorded London

COMFORT AND QUALITY IN FOOTWEAR —

with existing levels.

For daytime footwear, it is important for any person to wear good-looking shoes that impart "HAPPINESS" to the feet plus rus; 5, Children's Corner-Conthe retention of "PERFECT SHAPE" for many months in daily wear. | ducted by Auntie Val; 5.30, Friday In order to buy good SHOES, the logical place to go for smart | Requests-Presented by betty; v.w. gentlewomen and Birthday Mailbag; 6.18, Record



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SIDE GLANCES Galbraith



"She twisted and squirmed so much I put her here in a front desk-now she has me doing it!"

Judge Reverses Man's Plea Of Guilty

Sin Chong, who pleaded guilty to manslaughter at the Criminal Sessions this morning, had his plea reversed by Mr Justice James Wicks after he had heard the facts of the case.

Sin, who pleaded guilty to unlawfully killing a pedestrian Chung Yung on October 15 in Taipo, was remanded to the date of his trial.

Mr Simon Li, Crown Counsel, in outlining the facts of the case, told the Court that on October 15, accused was driving a lorry loaded with sand atong Kong San Roud, Taipo, Accused was not driving at

Folwell, Chief Postal Accountant, has ceased to act as an excessive speed but when he negotiated a bend part of the Mr G. H. Sherriff, Deputy Jorry hit a wall, killing a Superintendent of Sanitary pedestrian. Services, has resumed his duties

Subsequent investigations rerealed that accused was not a licenced lorry driver although he had held a driving licence in Canton.

IN POOR STATE

Mr Li said that the lorry was ket Report; 6.08, Programme for grossly overloaded by 29 Children presented by Valerie hundredweight. The vehicle liself was in a very poor state don Relay); 7.09, Commentary pletely defective and the wind-Musical Films: 8.15, Take It from the Police could drive the lorry

manslaughter there should be evidence of reckless disregard to the lives of persons using the road. According to his opinion the incident sounded like an error of judgment on the part of the accused.

Bedside "The only element in this case is the fact that the windscreen was so dirty," said Mr Wicks.

Relay); 11.09, Goodnight Music. God Save The Quoen; 11.30, Close Down... "The windscreen was cleaned by the Police," said Mr Li. Mr Wicks then reversed decused's plea and remanded him 3.30 p.m., Strike Up the Band -Music in March Time: 3.45, Bleak to the date of his trial.

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Mr Hung Ping-kwong (wocks Star Juliana Larson; 7.45, Interview with Maurice Clare conducted by supervisor), of 6 Sai Young Major A. C. Harvey; 6, Persona-lity Parade-Jackie Gleason; 8.15, Choi Street, accord floor; Mr Take It From Here (Pre-Christmas Tse Yiu-wing (clerk), of 144 The daytime Edition) Dick Bentley and Jimmy Tam Kung Road, second floor; casuals by Edwards with Wallas Eaton, Alma Mr Kong Shiu-yim (merchant), "HAYMAKERS Christmas Carols; 9, "Symphony of 93 Cheung Shu Wan Road, and RHYTHM Hall" Excerpts From Goetterdasm- first floor; Mr Chan Tung-man THYTHIN STEP is really and continued by the first foor in the firs

Doctor's Return To China

Five doctors were among group of 44 Chinese reputriates this morning by the ss Pre-Wilson from Francisco.

studying in the United States Colony's finances should be con- accordingly been somewhat has received Her. Majesty's since the war, were Dr , Ying sidered in relation to this pro- lightened. It seems likely Chung-fu, PhD, 37, (Cheklang), former Assistant Professor of ployed. It is with deference that have arisen that the investment. It was also announced that Brown University. Providence, I suggest that methods and may now be considered a long H.E. the Governor has recognis-R. I.; Dr Chen Neng-kuan (Peking) who was accompanied by hir wife and three children; D: S.-chang (Sidney) Fung. PhD (Shanghai); Dr industry. Llang-yu (Peking); and Hsl-kwci (Stanley) Chiang (Shanghai). .

Other returning students included Mr Weng Erh-hsin, graduate in electrical engineering; and Mr Cheng Wen-hwa his land and buildings would who was accompanied by his wife and two children.

The group, which also included 12 deportees, crossed the border at Lown at noon,

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U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m. Thalland, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe. Japan, 6 p.m. By Burface

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Will Write About Colony's Shops

Financial Assistance Needed To Keep People Employed

Mr Marden's Plea For Hongkong Industry

The Chairman of Wheelock Marden & Co. Ltd., Mr G. E. Marden said today every aspect of the Colony's finances should be considered in relation to the problem of keeping Hongkong people employed.

He urged Government "in all of its functions" to consider the paramount importance of industry.

Mr Marden was speaking at the annual meeting of Wheelock Marden & Co. Ltd at Edinburgh House this morning.

inchis railists have enabled the embark upon, beiring in mind inverest Colony to share to the full in our joint responsibilities to our the increase in the Hong-the benefit from improved other owner constituents. world trade conditions even shewan Tomes & Co Lid: business during the year and hough business with the main- This company has suffered from since its close it has increased land continues to be hampered reduced business in Hougkong by an amount of \$12.15 million by political difficulties; and it may well be the fact that when such business becomes leely possible its importance to the livelinoud of the inhabitants of Hongkong will be less than many have imagined," he said. "Whether or not the high nopes held of the volume and importance of the trade to the economy of the Western nations is actualy realised, it may be that the pattern of our own rade has permanently changed owing to the prolonged closure of the old market.

"The effect of this situation cannot be met, however, by merchant and industrialist alone. The very success attending their efforts calls forth the wrath of those whose tradimonal markets are affected no less than the indignation of mose who are unable, often for reasons beyond their control, to compete. The question is bedevilled by differences in living standards and accusations of unfair competition.

"To offset these influences and it would be idle to suggest that a Colony of our size and position in the world could effectively combat them—the citizen must look to his govern-

Outmoded Principles

"It may seem churlish to suggest that our own Govern- | management. Mr F. C. Clemo ment has not done all that it who joined our staff temporarily a could, but I express the hope for that purpose took upon himthat Government in all of its | self that part of the work renwho passed through Hongkong functions will consider the en route to China upon arrival paramount importance of in-

been and may not yet be neces- | Company now has its own The doctors, who have been sary but every aspect of the manager and our own task has blem of keeping our people em- under new circumstances which the Government Gazette today. principles sound twenty years term one. ago are so no longer when our population has more than Lta: Its joint exploitation to- This recognition is provisional doubled and we have changed gether with (Wnestock Marden) and pending instructions from from an entrepot into a hive of of the timber operation to Sara- the Secretary of State for the

"Our manufacturer may pay lower money wages than in some other countries, but his initial capital costs him very much more, whilst the cost of shock most of his critics. Govvernment could do something to remedy one and much the other.

Money Conditions

"I spoke last year of easy money conditions prevailing and regret that it is not possible to repeat the statement, Paradoxically as it would seem to the man in the street we are most adversely affected by the credit squeeze in the U.K. whilst it was during the period of cheap money there that we suffered most from the tightness of funds. Perhaps Government can help us here tool!

freight markets of the world, which 'had begun to manifest liself, when I last addressed you, has continued and both they and tonnage values may be confidently termed strong favourably affected the position of our debtors and we are now the reduction in the value at the moment. This has in most cases receiving larger remittances as a result of improved fixtures.

"Since the close of the year ___ Investments in associated come attractive new business Among the cruise passengers of which we have made pur-Among the cruise passengers arriving here in the ss President wilson this morning was Miss (chases and conditional sales, Wilson this morning was Miss (keeping the vessels under our own control until full payment is received. In all such of travel promotion articles for the American President Lines, will write an article on Hongkong's shops, a point where adverse fluctuations in temporary fluctuations are adverse fluctuations in temporary fluctuations and the form subject of \$1.1 million to Shewan Tomes of \$1.1 million to Shewan Tomes at the fluctuations of the mounts due to us to a point where adverse fluctuations in temporary fluctuations and the Hongkong's shops.

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and Singapore and we are in to a total of \$17 million: in its direction and minage-

mattal Industries Corp., Ltd: Its shipbreaking business and its co-operation with Hongkong Holling Mills Ltd are both progressing at an increased tempo. Textue Corporation of HK Ltd: Atier a period of difficulties affecting all local mills this siderable aze and provided concern is now in common with funds for the financing of our other textile manufacturers en- associates to which I have rejoying a period of brisk demand ferred and was otherwise refor its product.

Development Corp Ltd: This as- you last year when pointing out sociate is proceeding with in- an increase in liquidity that the vestigations into the develop- scale of cur operations is such ment of the known beryllium that no great significance ought apposits in the Colony. It is to have been attached to it. unukely that - even if found | "With regard to the profit & workable - they will prove to loss account the trading is have more than a reasonable again lower but there is a inrge commercial value.

This associate has again had a receipts from our shipping satisfactory year but it would debtors and the tigure may be seem that the individuality of expected to continue high. As I the local investor makes an in- foresnadowed last year there in vestment trust company less a substantial reduction in profit appealing here than in many on the sale of investments." parts of the world.

transfer of residence to the appointed auditors. Colony in March last and well have been actively engaged in problems connected with its dered necessary by the cessation of technical control from the United Kingdom and we are "Direct financial help has not most grateful to him. The

> John D. Hutchinson & Co | Consul for Japan at Hongkong. wak under the management of Colonies. Montague Meyer Ltd has proved unpromable and in other respects unsatisfactory and our activities there have recently been curtailed. It is proposed either to maintain a skeleton organisation on the spot or to withdraw from active logging. operation will continue—at any rate for the time being.

Shanghai Difficulties

Mr Marden said the situation in Shangnai had 'derimicly worsened!"

"We are now not permitted to use local funds accruing to one company to pay obligations another. Unroasonable demands are being made in respect of 'repairs' and the stage is obviously being set for the comedy of the so-called freely negotiated exchange of valuable properties in cancellation of sobailed dichts.

"We propose to continue to maintain our position that the properties if removed from us will have been expropriated. ". Turning to the balance incet

of "Land and Buildings". under fixed assets was due to a sale of residential property no longer needed:

ar other companies re-

of Hongkong merchante and we may find it necessary to has also been received for

the course of making changes - The fleet remains unchanged but se Nigelock grounded and capsized off Fooenow in MILEO, 1955. Underwriters had not accepted our notice of adandonment on March 31 bus the claim is now in course of settlement

Mr marden added: "The Bank overdraft appears again in conquired owing to the increased Far Eastern Prospecting & tempo of our business. I told

increase in outside dividenda and Yangusen Finance Co Ltd: interest. This is largely due to

The Hon, C. Blaker and Mr Hongkong and Uhina Gas Co Ellis Hayim were re-elected Lia: "The Lords Commissioners circulors and Messrs Peat of HM Treasury approved the | Marwick and Mitchell were re-

The accounts were adopted.

The Queen's Exequatur conpowering Monsieur Amodee Beaulieux to act as Consul-General for France at Hongkong ed Mr Shigeru Matsumoto as

Mr Theodore Eckis, of Long Island, NY, aviation safety The shipping side of the adviser to the Civil Aeronautical Administration, arrived, here in the as President Wilson this morning with his wife and two ichildren en route to Bangkok to Join the CCA's International Field Office in the That capital. Mr Eckis was formerly a commander of the United States Navy and was stationed in Far Eastern waters with the Seventh Fleet immediately after the war.

SUPREME COURT VACATION

The offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the Christmas vacation except during public and general holidays, it was announced in the Government Gazette today.

On Saturdays the offices will be open from 10 a.m. to noon. The Christmas vacation starts on December 24 and ends on January 4 (both days inclusive).

SAND PRICES

It was notified in the Govern-